

## FRENCH ENTERING VALENCIENNES

### Foch Drives Forward, Irrespective of Hun Peace Suggestions

#### GOVERNOR ASKS EVERY CITIZEN TO WEAR GAUZE MASK

Stephens Warns Public of Duty to  
Join in Preventing Spread of  
Spanish Influenza

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Oct. 22.—Governor William D. Stephens in a statement issued tonight urged every resident in California to co-operate with state, county and city officials in combatting the spread of the epidemic of Spanish influenza, particularly by wearing gauze masks. His statement said:

"As an aid in winning the war it is a patriotic duty for every American citizen to assist in preventing the health of himself and his fellow citizens."

"The health of our people and of our nation is essential and vital to the end that we may have men and money to give to preserve the principles to which our nation stand committed."

"An unfortunate epidemic has attacked the health of the people of this and other states. It will not be disastrous. It will be overcome. It must not be ignored. It must be fought."

"Strict observance of the rules prescribed by our health authorities is essential to the speedy eradication of the influenza."

"Unless the people of this state support our authorities in their efforts to suppress this epidemic, they are not doing their full duty either as citizens or as loyal Americans."

"Our health authorities advise it is imperative that all persons wear a gauze mask over the nose and mouth, thus preventing the spread of this disease."

"Compliance with this temporary edict means but little discomfort and means a service rendered to our fellow-men and to our country. It is most essential to the health of our state."

"As a duty which each citizen can easily perform to our country, I therefore earnestly request that this precaution and protection be followed immediately."

"(Signed) WILLIAM D. STEPHENS, Governor."

#### Slight Improvement

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—A slight improvement in the influenza situation over the country was indicated by reports received today by the public health service, but in many places the epidemic apparently has yet to reach its crest. In the far west and on the Pacific coast the situation has not proved nearly as serious as it did in the east and south.

Continued improvement in army camps was reported today to the office of the surgeon-general of the army. New cases during the twenty-four hours ending at noon today totalled 2,773 against 3,000 the day before, while deaths decreased from 404 to 392. There was a slight increase in the number of pneumonia cases.

Army medical officers said influenza may now be said to be epidemic in only five camps, the others reporting less than fifty new cases each daily. The total cases since the disease began is now 222,770 with 13,977 deaths.

In the east, south, generally conditions among the civilian populations are rapidly improving, according to reports to the public health service. In the middle west and in the states bordering the Mississippi and Missouri rivers abatement of the disease has been noted, although many new cases still are being reported daily. In California 28,000 cases had been reported up to yesterday. Oregon and Washington also reported new cases and some deaths.

#### New Cases, 4642

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 22.—Progress of the epidemic of Spanish influenza is to be judged by the number of new cases reported, not by the number of deaths, according to Dr. W. C. Billings of the United States health service, who stated tonight that the number of influenza cases throughout the state to date is 35,778. He did not have information on the number of deaths in the state. Dr. Billings said the total number of new cases reported throughout the state was 4,642.

Dr. Billings said he did not consider it feasible to discuss the number of cases reported, for the number of deaths may include victims who suffered since the outbreak of the disease.

New cases reported since yesterday and deaths were as follows: Dr. Billings said:

San Francisco, 1,144 cases, 6 deaths; San Diego, 86 cases, 6 deaths; Sacramento, 108 cases, no deaths; Pasadena, 182 cases, 5 deaths; Oakland, 382 cases, 27 deaths; Los Angeles, 900 cases, 64 deaths; Long Beach, 212 cases, one death; Alameda, 22 cases, 3 deaths; Berkeley, 10 cases, 2 deaths; Camp Lewis, 1 case; 2 deaths; Klamath, 1 case; 2 deaths; Eureka, 125 cases, 2 deaths; San Leandro, 100 cases, no deaths; Stockton, 290 cases, 4 deaths.

U. S. Takes Control

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 22.—The United States health department to

#### HOME GUARDS TO PAY LAST HONORS TO SERG. ROYER



SERGEANT ROYER.

Flying tape over the grave of Sergeant Theodore E. Royer, the Home Guards, under command of Major Jones, will pay full military honors to the young soldier, who succumbed to an attack of influenza at Camp Johnson, Fla., last week. The cortège will leave Little Bros' chapel at 10 o'clock today and proceed to the new Liberty cemetery, where the body will be interred. It will be escorted by the guards from the entrance of the cemetery to the grave. The body arrived in Fresno under military escort yesterday.

Sergeant Royer was the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Royer of Aubrey, where he had spent most of his life, coming there from Maryland when a child. He was 23 years old.

Other surviving relatives are David J. in Virginia; Clinton B. in government service at Stockton; Lester, a corporal; Charles E. Camp Lewis; Corporal John A. in France; William, Donald and Paul, of Aubrey, and a sister, Mrs. W. H. Smith of Corcoran.

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#### KERN COUNTY MAN IS ASST. ADVOCATE AT CAMP LEWIS

CAMP LEWIS, Tacoma, Wash., Oct. 22.—It is recalled by the correspondent of the Times at Berne that Matthias Erzberger, leader of the German Centrists and a member of the government formed to control the outside world of the peace-loving character of this government, a newspaper article written in February, 1916, expressed sentiments quite the contrary to those he is now supposed to entertain. He wrote:

"The greatest ruthlessness is in reality the greatest humanity. It should be possible to destroy the whole of London that would be more humane than to allow one of our fellow-countrymen to bleed to death on the battlefield, because such a radical cure would lead most speedily to death."

"England has stolen from us more than 400 merchant ships. The answer to this should be that for every German merchantman one English town or village will be destroyed by our airmen."

The German newspapers are laying great stress on the supposed attitude of Herr Erzberger on the peace question. They refer at length to his plan for a league of nations.

#### HEALTH OFFICIALS SCORE CARDINAL'S MORAL ASSEMBLAGE

(Special to the Republican.) REEDLEY, Oct. 22.—Mr. and Mrs. H. Kintzi, living west of Reedley, have received official notice from the government authorities that their son, Otto Kintzi, had died of wounds in August. He was in the service with the 16th Ambulance Corps in France at the time, receiving the wound which resulted in his death. He was a member of the First Mennonite church of Reedley and had been in the service more than a year.

This is the first gold star to be awarded in the Reedley service, the which now contains more than 250 stars, with more than half of the boys somewhere "over there." Kintzi had given his life for us all, and there is sorrow in the hearts of the community, and with it sympathy for the parents and brothers and sisters.

ROME, Oct. 22.—Baron Von Dorsten, chief of the German political department at Brussels, has informed Cardinal Mercier, primate of Belgium, that when the Germans evacuate the country the deported Belgians and political prisoners will be spontaneously released, according to the Observatory Romano, the semi-official Vatican organ. It is told Cardinal Mercier, it is said, that a part of the Belgians who have been deported would be free to return to their country on Monday.

#### LENINE UNABLE TO CONTROL HIS OWN TOOLS

Red Terror in Interior  
Russia Has Passed Out  
Of All Bounds

#### WINTER BEGINS IN FAR NORTH

STOCKHOLM, Monday, October 21.—(By the Associated Press)—The clash of authority between the counter-revolutionary commissions of Russia and the Soviet and local soviet organizations has become so serious as to show that it is the predominant tendency to the dictatorship of the proletariat, according to information brought here by travelers.

Peters, head of the commission to suppress counter-revolutions, has become more powerful than the national council of commissioners. Even Nilted Lenin, the Bolshevik premier, was unable to save men he did not wish executed by the Peters commission.

The Red Terror, spread from Moscow, has become a monster, which Lenin and other milder members of the central government cannot control.

The counter-revolutionary commissioners chief in the smaller cities are equally merciless, giving accused persons no chance to prove their innocence. The counter-revolutionary commissioners try and execute political suspects without reference to other government organs.

The national commissary of justice is endeavoring to have the counter-revolutionary commission placed under his authority, but they are resisting the Red Terror is not waged so boldly at Moscow now, the conservative elements evidently realizing the terrible precedent established, and they are endeavoring to dislodge the system.

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#### SUPPRESS SAILORS

STOCKHOLM, Monday, Oct. 21.—(By the Associated Press)—Several thousand insurgents sailors stopped the performance at the Stanislaus theater in Petrograd on Monday 11 and compelled the orchestra to lead a march to the Smolny Institute in protest against the order of M. Zinovieff, head of the Petrograd commune, conscripting all sailors according to neutrals arriving here today.

The Bolsheviks organized a resistance and the sailors were attacked and defeated. Many of them later were executed. Street fighting and riots continued for several days as a result of an attempt to round up the men suspected of promoting the uprising.

The sailors have been disaffected since the summary execution in June last of Lt. Col. St. Chasnov, commander of the Baltic fleet, who saved it from capture by the Germans.

Simultaneously with the outbreak in Petrograd there was trouble in Moscow, but its extent is not known. It is attributed to an uprising of the socialist revolutionaries.

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#### BECOMING EFFECTIVE

ARCHANGEL, Monday, Oct. 21.—(By the Associated Press)—The reorganization of the government is bringing quick results, and the organization of men to fight the Bolsheviks. The classes for the five years, beginning with men born in 1903, have been called to the colors.

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#### GIVES HERSELF UP ON MURDER CHARGE

Mrs. Elsie Wood Had  
Been in Asylum After  
Killing Husband

(Special to the Republican.)

VISALIA, Oct. 22.—Elsie L. Wood of Lindsay, who shot and killed her young husband, Loren T. Wood, on the streets of Porterville, November 14, 1917, one day before the Howes murder in Porterville, today gave herself up to Sheriff Conner Smith and is charged with murder. Mrs. Wood was released from the state hospital at Stockton a few days ago, treatment having restored her mind, which seemed to break down immediately after the shooting. She came into the sheriff's office at once upon learning that a warrant had been issued for her arrest.

Mrs. Wood declared at the time of the shooting that her husband had left her and her little girl to the care of her uncle near Lindsay, and that when she went to Porterville to ask her husband about money for the care of the girl, he cursed her, calling her a woman of the underworld, and ordering her back to "that blank old tool you have been living with." Angered by the abuse, she drew the revolver from her jacket pocket and shot her husband dead.

ROME, Oct. 22.—An appeal was made to Prince Maximilian, the imperial German chancellor, by the Holy See, asking that the German refrain from attacking portions of Belgium through which they are retreating, according to the Observatory Romano, the semi-official Vatican organ. A reply was received October 18 giving assurances that categorical instructions have been issued by the German general staff that healthies should be preserved and respected in every way possible.

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#### BIG GAINS MADE BY FRENCH FORCE NORTH OF LAON

Allies Mark Time in Northern  
Belgium While Building Up  
Their Communications

(By the Associated Press.)

The fall of Valenciennes in Picardy is imminent. Dr. Marshal Haig's forces are imminent. The British have entered the city on the west, while to the north they have made a deep thrust into the great Forest of Flanders and are moving in the direction of Soissons, near the angle of the Scheldt.

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## CONGRESS TO FACE BIG NAVY PROGRAM

Navy Department Asks Appropriation of \$600,000,000.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—Congress has been asked by the navy department to authorize second three-year naval building program to provide ten additional superdreadnaughts, six battle cruisers and 140 smaller vessels at a cost of \$600,000,000. This was disclosed tonight by Secretary Daniels after his appearance before the house naval committee to explain the appropriation.

This authorization is asked for the next fiscal year and is in addition to the 156 naval vessels comprising the first three-year building program authorized in 1916, and the great number of new destroyers and other special types contracted for since the United States entered the war. Work on the first three-year program was delayed by the war, but congress has required that a start must be made on all the vessels before next July 1.

Including the \$600,000,000 for the three-year program, Secretary Daniels said the total estimate of the department for ship construction, including armor and armament, amounted this year to \$972,000,000. Only \$200,000,000 of the \$600,000,000 will be made available next year for construction work on the three-year program, in addition to \$372,000,000 asked for completing vessels already authorized.

The new program of 156 vessels, said Secretary Daniels, "prescribes specific numbers of battleships and battle cruisers. As regards smaller vessels, although the total number is to be 140, it is simply asked that they be of types already approved and in existence, or of new types which may develop during the life of the program, the details being left to the discretion of the navy department."

"Building Up the Navy" is a continuation of the policy adopted in 1916 of increasing the navy, and contemplates its steady upbuilding and improvement. It is in line with the policy adopted by this government, and which has met with the entire approval of the American people of building up a navy strong enough to meet all requirements.

"This program, if authorized by Congress, as I am confident it will be, will give us sixteen capital ships that will be the equal of any afloat at the time they are built. The battleships and battle cruisers authorized in the first three-year program will be unexcelled by those of any other navy, and the country may rest assured that in the new construction authorized our constructors will produce the most powerful and effective of fighting craft."

The imperative necessity of turning out as rapidly as possible all the destroyers and other types of craft needed in the war against the submarine for the necessities of war for the time required us to concentrate upon this class of construction—it has led to the fear in some quarters that in devoting so much necessary attention to the building of smaller craft we might fall some in looking out for the future in building the capital ships on which the strength of a navy ultimately depends. This the naval authorities have always had in mind. The three-year program adopted in 1916 provided for ten battleships and six battle cruisers. Now we ask for as many more to be built as those formerly authorized are completed and facilities become available.

The total expenditure authorized upon this new program is \$600,000,000, the provision for the first year being a third of this, \$200,000,000. This is exclusive of estimates for emergency appropriations for new vessels to be built under war urgency, which total \$140,000,000, and also of estimates for continuing and pushing the old program, the emergency construction of destroyers under way, etc.

Including the \$600,000,000 for which authorization is requested in the new three-year program, the total estimate of the department for ship construction, including armor and armament, amounts this year to \$972,000,000. This total amount I recommend for appropriation next year, for ship constructions, that is for completing vessels already authorized, and for new vessels, is \$672,000,000."

The Walnut Improvement club will be no meeting Thursday on account of the epidemic.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE FIFTIETH DISTRICT



## GOVERNOR ASKS EVERY CITIZEN TO WEAR GAUZE MASK

(Continued from Page 1.) 2,000, or about 25 per cent of the operators are ill.

Additional complaints were received today that doctors and druggists are overcharging influenza patients, and that landlords are withholding heat from tenants. An ordinance which would compel landlords to keep thermometers in their houses at 85 degrees, was introduced at a meeting of the board of aldermen today. If adopted, the measure will supplement a similar clause in the sanitary code, under which several landlords have been arrested.

### Deaths at Fremont

SAN JOSE, Oct. 22.—There were four deaths from Spanish influenza at Camp Fremont yesterday, according to an official announcement at division headquarters today. Although the death list increased the number of new cases was reduced to fifty-four, less than half of the previous day of the epidemic, it was announced.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 22.—Spanish influenza in Seattle has reached its crest, according to Dr. J. S. McBride, city health commissioner, tonight. New cases reported today were only 28 and deaths

## CARDINAL ACCEPTS HIS FRENCH HONOR

BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 22.—Cardinal Gibbons today announced his acceptance of the distinction conferred upon him by the French government in making him a grand officer of the Legion of Honor. In a letter to the French ambassador at Washington through whom the intention of the French government was made known to the cardinal recently, Gibbons spoke of his love and admiration for the French people and declared that without their loyal aid "our glorious country could never have been a nation."

## NEW YORK "COFFIN GHOULS" ARRESTED

NOW YORK, Oct. 22.—In an investigation here of the activities of alleged "coffin ghouls," the Federal authorities today caused the arrest of two undertakers on charges of attempting to defraud the government. The undertakers, it is alleged, by reporting to relatives of dead soldiers that the government coffin in which the bodies were wrapped had been "cheated out of its" secured orders for expensive caskets and then appropriated the government coffins. In some cases reselling them to the government. The "cheap pine boxes" cost the government \$36 each.

The "coffin ghouls" are said to have reaped rich harvest since the Spanish influenza began taking its toll in the training camps, and several more undertakers are said to be under investigation here.

## SHIYARDS HAVE STEEL SURPLUS

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 22.—From 1000 to 1500 tons of steel allotted to shipyards will be released each week for other war industries, it was announced today by Charles M. Schwab, director-general of the emergency fleet corporation, after a conference with representatives of all the steel shipyards of the East. The 50,000 tons a week assigned to shipbuilding, it was said, proved to be beyond the needs of the plants, operating as they are with a shortage of labor.

"My next problem," said Mr. Schwab, "is to get 150,000 more trained ship workmen. The shortage exists in all the yards of the country and especially in the Delaware river district."

## MAXIMILIAN FEARS NATIONAL UPRISING

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 22.—(By the Associated Press)—"President Wilson's reply to the latest German note may, perhaps, bring definite certainty as to the result of the negotiations," Prince Maximilian, the imperial German chancellor, said today, according to a dispatch received here from Berlin. "Till then, we must prepare to resist a peace of violence."

Prince Maximilian continued: "A government which acted otherwise would be left at the mercy of the fighting and working people. It would be swept away by public opinion."

## PLAN EVEN SYSTEM OF FREIGHT RATES

SALEM, Ore., Oct. 22.—Plan of the Federal railroad administration to establish a uniform system of class freight rates throughout the country is made in a letter received by the Oregon public service commission today from G. C. Catherwood of the Washington state commission, who is now at Washington, D. C.

The plan calls for the establishment of zones and creating zone five out of Oregon, Washington and California. It is said that water competition conditions have not changed and that one result would be an increase in the rate between Portland and Puget Sound from the present 30 cent rate to more than 50 cents, also that there would be increases between Seattle and Tacoma and Bellingham.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 22.—Robert Livingston was this morning arrested in Venezuela on suspicion of violating the draft law of his United States, informed here today before a local tribunal, which declared him guilty of willful desertion and ordered him turned over to military authorities. Benjamin Livingston, a brother, was expected to appear tomorrow before another board here on a similar charge. Both young men were arrested while traveling with their mother, Mrs. McAllister Livingston.

Respectfully,  
B. W. McKEON.

## AMERICA HONORS ALLIED GENERALS

Medal for Foch, Joffre, Haig, Petain, Diaz Pershing and Gillian

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—Marshals Foch, Joffre and Haig and Generals Petain, Diaz, Pershing and Gillian, chief of staff of the Belgian army, were awarded the distinguished service medal today by President Wilson, acting as commander-in-chief of the United States army.

General Pershing was directed by Secretary Baker to act as President Wilson's representative in presenting the medals to the military leaders of the Allies, and to express to them the regard of the people of the United States and the American army for the distinguished and patriotic services they have rendered in the common cause.

General Tasker H. Bliss, former chief of staff, and now assigned to the Inter-Allied war council, will represent the President in presenting the medal to General Pershing. He has been directed to say that the President awards the medal to the commander of the American expeditionary forces as a token of the gratitude of the American people for his distinguished service and in appreciation of the success which the American armies have accomplished under his leadership.

### Counter Attacks Fail

LONDON, Oct. 22.—Several counter-attacks by the Germans to retake the bridgehead established by the British yesterday east of the Lys river, failed with severe losses to the Germans, says an official statement issued tonight on British operations in Flanders. The statement said:

"Throughout the day the enemy endeavored to maintain his positions on the Lys and on the canal between Deyzeze and the Dutch frontier."

"Several counter-attacks were launched yesterday, the bridgehead we established yesterday. All failed with heavy losses to the enemy."

## COLONEL J. R. WOOD TO INSPECT CAMP

CAMP KEARNY, San Diego, Oct. 22.—Colonel J. R. Wood, quartermaster from Washington, who is inspecting camps throughout the country to obtain closer co-ordination of the work of the quartermaster general's department, arrived at Camp Kearny today. He was enthusiastically welcomed by the men who, Colonel Wood has completed inspection of Rockwell Field, home of the army aviators at North Island; Fort Rosecrans and other posts in and about San Diego, and intends to leave for the North tomorrow. Captain J. A. Habegger of the quartermaster's department, stationed in San Diego, accompanied him on his local inspection trip.

The quartermaster at the camp continues as strict as ever, and it is declared that the good effects are apparent.

The daily hikes of camp units to Del Mar and return are continuing, and the officers and men express pleasure at the change from camp life. The Forty-seventh field artillery started from camp to the beach resort at 7 a. m. today and will return tomorrow.

## BRITISH OFFICERS ESCAPE FROM TURK

LONDON, Oct. 22.—Eight British officers captured at Kui-El-Amara reached England today after thrilling adventures. The party escaped from a Turkish prison camp in the interior of Asia Minor. They journeyed seaward across the Taurus mountains,食事 some with eulips, collars and belts, others Corona sleeves and loose backs. They are extra good values at the price which they are offered today.

Every sweater offered in this sale cannot be duplicated for less than \$2.00 and every man who buys one of these sweaters certainly gets a bargain. They are heavy weight gray coats with long rail back, two pockets, in all sizes, \$4 to \$6. For today \$1.69

1 Doz. 59c

Men's Sweaters

Special

For all branches of the service, made of good felt, and sells here regular at 75c. For Wednesday

2 Cakes 15c

Service Banners

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2 Doz. 15c

Flannelette Sacks

--- Wednesday ---

A big variety of Flannelette Sacks. All good new patterns, made of extra good material—some with eulips, collars and belts, others Corona sleeves and loose backs. They are extra good values at the price which they are offered today.

98c

Flannelette Gowns

--- Wednesday ---

A wonderful offering in Flannelette Gowns at this time of the year. When every woman is thinking of this class of merchandise, we come forward with the very thing you want. These are gowns—really worth \$1.65, and full size, double yoke, roll collar. We can only allow 2 to a customer, \$1.39 at

at

15c value—Bleached Crash Toweling; full

bleached, finished with blue border. Limit—10 yards to a customer. No C. O. D. No phone orders.

9c yd.

25c value—Bleached Muslin, 35 in. wide, soft

finished, 10 yards to a customer. No phone orders. No C. O. D. For today.

19c yd.

Our Large Stove Department Is Ready for the Cool Weather

Here at Gottschalk's the assortment is wonderfully complete. There are stoves and gas ranges designed especially for the large or small family, and for the big kitchen or the little one, and we stand ready to give you the benefit of years of experience in helping you select the gas range or stove best suited to your needs.

Expert connections—efficient workmanship and service guaranteed.

Central California's Largest Dept. Store

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For Wednesday  
In All Departments

See These Lovely Hats—All High Class—  
All Up-to-date Shapes.

It will pay you to make this store your first stop today. We have a full stock of every article advertised.

12 HATS; regular \$15.00 value; 1-4 off.....	\$11.25
8 HATS; regular \$16.50; 1-4 off.....	\$12.35
7 HATS; regular \$18.50; 1-4 off.....	\$13.85
6 HATS; regular \$20.00; 1-4 off.....	\$15.00
5 HATS; \$22.50; 1-4 off.....	\$16.85
4 HATS, \$25.00.....	\$18.75
3 HATS, \$27.50.....	\$20.60
2 HATS, \$35.00 value.....	\$26.25

We have a full stock of every article advertised today. Every department is represented in this ad. You can find just what you want here.

## Silk Bags

Silk bags in black, navy brown, tan and gray, each fitted with coin purses and mirrors, silk lined, and many finished with fancy silk tassels. These are bags at prices from \$1.95 to \$12.50. You can buy them today.

Less 25%

## Handkerchiefs Special Today

Men's soft finish full size handkerchiefs, with 1-4 inch hem; sells regular at 10c. Special for today—Limit 6 to customer.

8c

## Sterling Silver Hat Pins

A special bargain in Sterling silver hat pins for today. Only, per pair 15c

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# PAPER DEMANDS KAISER STEP OUT

And Crown Prince Is  
Just As Unsatisfac-  
tory As He

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 22.—The Frank-  
ische Tagess Post of Nuremberg, the  
first paper in Germany to demand  
openly the abdication of the emperor,  
declares that the accession of the  
crown prince is entirely out of the  
question.

"The German people is searching  
for the guilty," says the Volks Zeitung,  
the organ of the Nuremberg Socialists.  
"The Pan-Germans and Junkers are silent today, but we do not forget  
that they are the great war inciters  
in Germany; that they are a menace  
to the future healthy development of  
the German empire."

"To the gallows with the guilty,  
whoever they may be!"

The Socialistic Arbeiter Zeitung of  
Vienna urges that the German Socialists  
to punish the "chief culprits" without  
money adding:

"When the German soldiers return  
home from the trenches after four  
years of unparalleled suffering there  
will be a reckoning for the people who  
have led them to this catastrophe. The  
German people will sweep away the  
Junkers and take its own destiny into  
its own hands."

## Must Not Be Obstacle

GENEVA, Oct. 22.—Peace must not  
be delayed a single day on account of  
the Hohenzollerns if they are an ob-  
stacle to it, declared the Volksfreund  
of Kassel, which also is permitted  
to speak of the dispossessed. The  
superstitious belief that the emperor  
was chosen to rule by divine right

The Schwabische Tagewacht says  
that everybody is not convinced that  
the Allies will not accord Germany a cheap  
peace, "but if the glory and power of  
imperial Germany is the price, the  
German people are ready to pay."

In permitting such items to leave  
Germany the German censorship ap-  
parently is preparing public opinion  
for coming events.

## NEW YORK GETS \$15,000,000 MORE

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—Receipt of  
late subscriptions to the fourth Liberty  
Loan, amounting to more than  
\$15,000,000, was announced tonight by  
the campaign committee for the New  
York federal reserve district, which  
had not yet completed a compilation  
of the district's total.

Among the subscriptions were \$5-  
65,000 from the Midvale Steel & Ord-  
nance Company, and \$1,000,000 each  
by the Bank of the United States, the  
Standard Oil Company of New Jersey,  
Charles M. Schwab and employees of  
the Eddystone rifle plant.

## Railmen's Bonds

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—Employees  
of railroads under federal control sub-  
scribed not less than \$164,392,160 to  
the fourth Liberty Loan. This sum,  
according to incomplete reports re-  
ceived today by the railroad adminis-  
tration, was distributed among 1,642,  
684 persons.

Subscriptions thus far reported by  
the various operating regions are:  
Southwestern, \$20,000,000; Northern  
Penn., \$25,649,150; Pittsburgh, \$3,651,-  
000; Allegheny, \$21,829,650; Eastern,  
\$14,316,550; Southern, \$14,316,550, and  
Central Western, \$22,423,400.

Officers, employees and enlisted men  
attached to the war department in  
Washington subscribed \$14,341,400 to  
the fourth loan, more than the depart-  
ment's subscriptions to all three pre-  
vious loans combined.

## San Francisco Ahead

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 22.—Liberty  
loan officials announced tonight that  
returns so far received indicated that  
both San Francisco and the twelfth  
Federal reserve bank districts exceeded  
their quotas in the fourth Liberty loan  
issue. No estimate was available as  
to how much the over-subscriptions  
totalled. Definite figures were expect-  
ed soon to be announced.

## Chicago Figures

CHICAGO, Oct. 22.—Over-subscrip-  
tions to the fourth Liberty loan in the  
seventh federal reserve district out-  
side of Chicago and Cook county now  
approximates \$35,000,000, the total be-  
ing \$65,743,000, against a quota of  
\$17,700,000, according to the latest  
figures given out tonight.

Iowa's total subscriptions are now  
placed at \$159,443,000. Iowa's over-  
subscription is now \$11,23,000, with  
final reports expected to show a still  
larger total. Des Moines had an over-  
subscription of \$1,100,000, and the over-  
subscription of Davenport and Scott  
county alone was \$1,100,000.

Wisconsin figures showed total sub-  
scriptions of \$104,000,000, or approxi-  
mately \$3,000,000 over the state quota.  
Milwaukee's quota of \$2,646,000, was  
over-subscribed about \$3,000,000.

## Wire Operators IN CONFERENCE

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 22.—Repre-  
sentatives of all the switch board op-  
erators and electrical workers of the  
Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company  
of the Pacific coast, in confi-  
ference here on a proposed new wage  
scale, will conclude their work by  
noon tomorrow, they announced to-  
night. Pending a determination of the  
proposed agreement to be sent to the  
company and to government executives  
handling wire utilities, no state-  
ment will be made for the public, ac-  
cording to the conference.

## SIGNS CONTRACTS WITH RAILROADS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—Director-  
General McAdoo today signed the first  
contracts to be entered into between  
the railroad administration and rail-  
roads under government control, fixing  
the amount of an annual rental and  
other details.

The first contract executed was with  
the Chicago and Northwestern and its  
subsidiary companies, calling for a total  
annual rental of \$23,654,028. The  
second was with the Chicago, Burling-  
ton and Quincy at a rental of \$23,700,-  
000. Others were with the Chicago,  
St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha at  
\$1,834,789; the Colorado Southern and  
Wichita Valley at \$2,835,733, and the  
Fort Worth and Denver City at \$1,891,-  
000.

## SECRETARY BAKER VISITS AMERICAN WOUNDED



Walter Newspaper Photo.

Mr. Newton D. Baker, secretary of war, has just returned to the United States from a visit to the battlefields of France. During his stay there Mr. Baker inspected the American troops on the firing line and made an exhaustive study of conditions existing in hospitals and relief centers in the rear. The photo shows Mr. Baker chatting with a wounded Yankee on his visit to a hospital.

## CANADIAN PIPER AWARDED CROSS

LONDON, Oct. 22.—(Canadian  
Press)—Five new Victoria crosses  
have been awarded, the recipients of  
three of which have been killed. The  
most thrilling account accompanied  
the award to Pipe James Richardson  
of a Manitoba regiment.

Prior to the attack, he obtained per-  
mission to play his company "over the  
top." As the company approached its  
objective, it was held up by very strong  
wire and came under machine fire, and  
momentarily demoralized the formation.

Richardson, realizing the situation,  
strode up and down with great  
courage. The effect was instantaneous.  
Inspired by his splendid example, the  
company rushed the wire with such  
fury and determination that the  
obstacle was overcome and the position  
captured.

Later, after participating in bomb-  
ing operations, he was detailed to take  
back wounded comrades and prisoners.  
After proceeding 200 yards he re-  
membered that he had left his pipes  
behind. Strongly warned, he insisted on  
returning to recover them. He was  
never seen again and is accordingly  
presumed dead.

## ALLIES ADVANCE IN NORTH RUSSIA

ARCHANGEL, Monday Oct. 21. (By  
the Associated Press).—The Americans  
and Russians yesterday advanced ap-  
proximately seven miles along the  
Onega river, meeting with little resis-  
tance.

The Divna, Vega and Vologda sectors  
have been comparatively quiet the past  
few days.

## MOTOR TRANSPORT CONTRACTS SIGNED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—To supply  
the requirements of the recently  
organized motor transport corps, the  
war department today announced that  
contracts have been let for motor  
equipment, including trucks, tractors,  
passenger cars, and motorcycles,  
amounting to approximately \$130,000,-  
000. The order is the largest ever let  
by the government for such  
equipment. The contracts provide for  
the delivery starting immediately in  
some instances and extending over a  
period of several months of 1,500  
trucks, 40,855 chassis, 3,720 tractors,  
13,050 bicycles, 3,000 delivery cars, 3,000  
taxi-passenger cars, 500 winter cars,  
500 limousines, 350 motorcycles and  
12,500 four-wheel drives.

## DEFENDS SENTIMENT OF DUTCH PEOPLE

AMSTERDAM.—(Correspondence of the  
Associated Press).—Hollenders have been  
told by their friends in the United States  
that American opinion, undergoing a  
change adverse to Holland. To combat  
this a Netherlands society is preparing to  
send a special mission to America in the  
hope of more firmly cementing the friend-  
ship of the two nations.

Friends of Holland in the United States,  
according to the Handelsblad, which is re-  
garded as the leading newspaper in the  
kingdom, have sent word to Holland that  
the people of the Netherlands seem "indifferent" to  
the change adverse to Holland. To combat  
this a Netherlands society is preparing to  
send a special mission to America in the  
hope of more firmly cementing the friend-  
ship of the two nations.

The paper declares that the con-  
sensus of American opinion is that the Dutch  
are not to appreciate the purity of America's  
motives; that the Hollenders think of  
nothing but to keep out of the war and  
enrich themselves and that the loudness  
of their protests against any inconven-  
tions they may have suffered are not  
entirely due to the fact that they are  
not moderate in their complaints against Germany's crimes on land  
or sea.

The newspaper freely admits that there  
is good ground for reproach. "Many  
persons in Holland," it says, "judge the  
war and the leading statesmen of the  
various countries, especially America, in  
cautious, presumptuous, even cynical  
terms which do not give America  
the same respect as they usually extend  
to England."

"Holland has not done nearly enough  
to enlighten public opinion in America re-  
garding the true feelings of the Dutch  
people. The spirit of the Dutch people is  
largely misunderstood and misinter-  
preted abroad."

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—Thirty-four  
prominent theatrical managers and  
actors tonight pledged their profession  
to raise \$25,000,000 towards New York's  
War Work campaign for \$170,000,000, at a  
dinner tendered them by John D.  
Rockefeller, Jr., chairman of the cam-  
paign committee.

## THE WORLD WAR

LONDON, Oct. 22.—Suggestions that  
an embargo be placed on "luxury laundry  
in London has been the subject of  
considerable comment in the news-  
papers here. The statement that laundries  
are flooded with large quantities  
of dainty lingerie and other fancy  
clothing by women war workers has  
been denied by laundrymen.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—Name  
addresses and present occupations of  
thousands of coal miners, engaged in  
other forms of industry, who have  
abandoned their own trade since the  
beginning of the war, have been ob-  
tained by the United States Employ-  
ment Service as a result of an appeal  
to officials of local unions of the mine  
workers. An effort will be made  
through general appeals and personal  
solicitation to induce these men to re-  
turn to the mines where they are  
urgently needed as war workers.

LONDON, Oct. 22.—Popularity of the  
Royal Air Force is emphasized at the  
recruiting office here. The military  
airmen minimum age is seventeen years and  
ten months. Many youths under  
that age have attempted to join but  
it has become necessary to require birth  
certificates with each application.

BASEL, Oct. 22.—The National  
Jugend-Schutzen Council, formed of all the  
political factors in Crotia, has rejected  
the imperial manifesto of Emperor Charles,  
announcing the federalization of  
Austrian states. The manifesto is held to be insufficient and is  
denounced as being intended only to  
deceive President Wilson, according  
to the Agram correspondent of the  
Munich *Neueste Nachrichten*.

MANKATO, Minn., Oct. 22.—Albert  
Stehnhauser, publisher of the *Post* at  
New Ulm, Minn., was indicted by a  
federal grand jury here today on  
charge of violating the espionage act.  
Eight counts were returned. The indictments  
were based on alleged dis-  
loyal articles printed in the *Post*.  
Stehnhauser will be arraigned here to-  
morrow.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 22.—Looking  
to post-war commerce, the foreign  
trade department of the San Francisco  
chamber of commerce is registering  
manufacturers and their productive  
capacities in all sections of the United  
States. Four thousand manufac-  
turers, without foreign connections nor  
the means to establish them, have been  
offered the services of the bureau in  
placing them in communication with  
buyers and experienced export and  
import firms. This will permit the  
stands of manufacturers throughout the  
United States who could do little  
and profitable foreign business, but  
who have contented themselves with  
home markets owing to technicalities of  
foreign trade which they did not  
understand, to find markets in the  
Orient, Oceania and Latin America.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 22.—A Ger-  
man airplane bombed a children's am-  
bulance belonging to the American  
fund for French wounded and used to  
transport patients from district Red  
Cross dispensaries to the American  
cross hospital at Tou, according to  
news which has just reached Paris.  
The ambulance, it seems, was waiting in front  
of a police station at —— when  
the bomb struck the car, burying it in  
the shattered walls of a house across the  
street.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—Sixty and  
one wounded landed in the United States  
from the American expeditionary  
forces during the week ended October  
13, numbered 637, the war department  
announced.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Oct. 22.—Lieutenant  
Edwin C. Little of Bushfield  
Heights, N. J., died in Park Field hospital  
today as the result of injuries sustained  
October 12, at Fulton, Ky., when the airplane in which he was  
flying fell.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 22.—Henry J.  
Weeks, an enemy alien and active politi-  
cian, today resigned as city commis-  
sioner of weights and measures. His  
action followed the suspensions last  
week of two other police officers.

Weeks' protest that Catholic children  
receive consideration on his behalf  
and remember him in their daily  
prayers in their schools was made through  
Monsignor William Barnes, Catholic  
chaplain of Oxford University, who  
came to the United States to attend  
Cardinal Gibbons' Golden Jubilee.

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FRANCHET D'ESPÈRY, THE  
VICTOR IN MACEDONIA.

There's a name coming up from the  
fighting front like a sudden comet  
from out of some orbit, unknown, unchar-  
acterized.

With a blaze that sets the heavens  
afame.

A name that rings like the blare of a  
trumpet.

That echoes wild through the hills of  
song.

A name to hearten the spirit of  
cavemen.

And shatter the bastion'd walls of  
Wrong.

Like an eagle out of the blue vault  
plunging;

As a red, unheralded lightning stroke  
That smites the towering pride of the  
forest.

On the head of the haughty foe he  
broke.

A bolt of fire, and the cloud was  
rended.

The night of defeat was rolled  
away—

And lo! in the sky of the troubled na-  
tions.

Blazed the morning star of  
D'Espéry!

John Jerome Rooney in N. Y. Sun.

THE EMPRESS.

With the house of commons today  
James Thomas MacNamara, financial  
secretary of the admiralty, said there  
was good reason to believe that all  
German destroyers and torpedo boats  
which had their bases at Ostend and  
Zeebrugge have escaped to German  
ports. Every possible step was taken  
to intercept them, he said, but he add-  
ed that, seeing that passage could be  
made at night and that Dutch territorial  
waters could be used, there was  
no certainty that the measures taken  
would be efficacious.

CAMP FUNSTON, Kas., Oct. 22.—Court  
martial sentences for six con-  
stitutional offenders found guilty of  
treason have been reduced from life im-  
prisonment to twenty-five years at  
Fort Leavenworth, Kas., by Major Gen-  
eral Leonard Wood, it became known  
here tonight.

THE EMPRESS.

That sets the blood aglow.  
Purple is mine attire.  
My broad and billowy bill-crests  
Are lit with crimson fire.

Mine is a triumph music.

The marching pipe and labor  
Before my footfalls go.

My amber and battalions.

Approach in gleaming line:

No golden pomp or pageant.

Was mightier than mine.

Tossed by the winds of morning.

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## KEEP YOUR HEAD

Various sensational rumors are spreading regarding the Spanish influenza now epidemic in this city. These rumors are strikingly like the German propaganda rumors of a year ago. This does not imply any connection, except a similarity of mass psychology.

For instance, rumor yesterday had three prominent physicians dead of the influenza. Each physician emphatically denied his own death, and his expert opinion would even be received by a court. Therefore the public should also accept these denials as conclusive.

Also rumor, as is almost invariably the case, has taken two diverse and mutually inconsistent courses. One line of whisperer chattered that there are great many more cases than the papers are reporting and that the mortality toll has been very high. On account of local pride or for business reasons the papers were minimizing what is said to be a very alarming situation.

On the other hand, you will hear the talk that there is no such thing as Spanish influenza, that it is all pure newspaper sensationalism, that there are merely the usual number of colds for this season of the year.

Of the two forms of gossip the second is the most dangerous. The epidemic is serious and the only way to check it is to recognize its seriousness and co-operate fully and cheerfully with the health authorities.

The Republican is neither minimizing nor exaggerating the situation. It is publishing the cases officially reported to the health officers, and of course will continue to do so, whether they are ten a day or a thousand. Deaths are not attributed to influenza or pneumonia unless the attending physician gives these as the cause; on the other hand, there have been and will be no suppression of facts.

In the present excited state of public mind, the same advice is given as on previous similar occasions: Receive rumors and street reports with doubt; do not repeat them without verification. If you see it in the Republican you will know that it is so; if you do not see it, you may rest assured that it is not so.

## INITIATIVE STANDS

The chief bugaboo raised against the health insurance amendment is the claim that it "eviscerates" the initiative. Many inquiries come, therefore, asking an explanation brief, simple and conclusive, showing whether or not this is so.

It can not be done.

If the explanation is brief and simple it will not be conclusive to the hypercritical critic, and if it is conclusive to him no one else will read it. For most people no explanation is needed. They know that the claim is a bugaboo and therefore not important, and they are not interested in the argument either way. For most others it is quite sufficient to assert, on authority, that the health insurance amendment neither "eviscerates" nor suspends the initiative and does not exempt health insurance from it. This assertion is made on some of the best legal authority in California and can be taken as conclusive.

However, there are others who have been sufficiently aroused by the agitation over this question really to care whether it is true or not, and these will be interested in a careful argument on the subject. There is no obligation on anyone else to read it.

The paragraph in the amendment which has stirred up the whole question reads as follows:

"The provisions of this section shall not be controlled or limited by any other provisions in this constitution, except the provisions thereof relating to the passage and approval of acts by the legislature and to the referendum thereon."

This mentions the referendum and does not mention the initiative. Why was the initiative not mentioned, and does its omission mean that the right of initiative is not retained?

It will be noticed in the first place that "the provisions of this section" all refer to things which the legislature may do under it. The initiative is not one of these things and has nothing to do with proceedings by the legislature. Its omission, therefore, from an amendment providing for proceedings in the legislature is of no more importance than the omission of the Australian ballot or the boundaries of the state. The amendment provides that "the legislature may establish a health insurance system" and that "the legislature may confer" certain powers. These are "the provisions" which are not to be controlled or limited by other sections of the constitution except those relating to the passage and approval of acts and the referendum.

In other words, the legislature is to be subjected to the provisions relating to its procedure, of which the referendum is one, but it is not to be subjected to the various technical provisions of our complex constitution which would make a workable health insurance act unconstitutional if enacted.

The initiative is not a proceeding in the legislature. It is a method of passing laws by the people without the legislature. The privilege of passing such laws is neither conferred by nor taken away by this amendment. The initiative is in the constitution and there would be no way to repeal it except by an amendment repealing it out of the constitution. In fact, if the people were by initiative to vote into

## TO BE COMMANDER OF STUDENT POST IN AMERICAN ARMY



Western Newspaper Union.

One of the latest portraits of Major Herbert C. Earshaw, U. S. A., who has succeeded Colonel W. C. Finley, U. S. A., Major Earshaw will be in command of the largest student post in the United States. Major Earshaw, at the present time an executive officer of the post that will soon be in charge of, is one of General Pershing's veterans and has fought in the battle of Chateau-Thierry.

## OLD PROSPECTORS SEEK WAR METALS

GRASS VALLEY, Oct. 21.—The urgent war demand for chrome, manganese and other similar ores has given an opportunity for scores of old prospectors and retired miners to stage very creditable "come-backs" and the grub-stake is one of the largest student posts of the mining industry.

The mining and marketing of these ores has become an important industry, although the deposits are comparatively small, scattered and in most cases situated far from the railroads.

The working of chrome deposits is by far the most important, the activities centering in counties of Nevada, Placer, Amador, El Dorado and Sacramento, with large operations also in Shasta.

Most of the small miners and prospectors have abandoned the search for gold, silver and copper and are devoting all of their time to a feverish search for chrome and manganese. That the returns have been large in many instances is well known.

The task of transporting the heavy ores from the remote deposits to the railroads is accomplished in all sorts of ways, ranging from powerful motor trucks down to pack burros.

The postal department has been drafted by the miners, many having not been paid when it was found easier to transport ore by mail than by freight.

In Shasta county the government has installed a regular pack-train mail line, thirty-six miles in length, to handle the packages of ore mailed.

The postage on the one for the thirty-six miles is \$12 per cent.

In Sierra county one operator recently mailed 1000 pounds of high-grade ore to San Francisco.

In Shasta county the government has authorized the building of an automobile road to some important deposits of chrome in a remote section.

Recently agents of the government have worked through Northern California for the purpose of inspecting and listing every known deposit of chrome ore.

In the event of promising deposits not being worked by their owners it is understood that they may be taken by the government.

Instead of Germany being destroyed, Germany should be required to rebuild what it has destroyed in the rest of Europe. Every cottage in Belgium and northern France that the Huns have burned, should be rebuilt at their expense, if not actually by their hands. Every tree that has been cut down should be replanted. Every road should be rebuilt. Every bridge should be thrown again across its river to carry the traffic that Germany's false philosophy and Germany's military greed has interrupted.

The gospel of the new world league for peace and democracy should be one of restoration, not of destruction, except where the one necessarily must be preceded by the other. Where democracy is to be set up, of course, despotism must be cut down. Wherever opportunity for every nation and every people to live in such prosperity as it can be to the set up, of course special privilege must be abated? Restoration and reparation, must be the test, even in treating with those whose conduct has made of them our enemies.

CREED FOUND ON AMERICAN SOLDIER

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 19.—The creed of an American soldier, plain and simple, which might have been written as an appeal for the Fourth Liberty loan has been received by Sutner & Co., investment brokers here, from an officer in France. The soldier wrote on a leaf of his diary:

America shall win the war.

Therefore I will work.

I will save.

I will fight and do my utmost.

As though the whole issue of the struggle...

Depended on me

ALONE.

Therefore I will work.

I will save.

I will fight and do my utmost.

As though the whole issue of the struggle...

Depended on me

ALONE.

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, Sept. 25.—Most of Alaska is about to enter its long half-light winter hibernation, when ice and snow lock almost everything in their grasp with a wintry clamp.

Already the last steamboats making

connections with the outside world

are leaving the northern inland river towns.

In a short time Alaska's big inland summer water highway, the Yukon River, will be sealed tight with

seven months' ice.

Throughout the country preparations for the winter are being made.

Supplies have been laid in, for prohibitive freight rates prevail on the stage lines which serve the county in the winter.

Fairbanks, Nome, St. Michael, Ruby, Eagle, Anchorage, Tanana, Nenana and Fort Yukon are the largest points in the section of Alaska locked by winter.

Seward, Cordova, Valdez, Juneau, Skagway, Ketchikan, Wrangell

and other southern points are on open water the year around.

This year Anchorage, for the first time, will be in touch with the outside world by railroad, the government line from Seward having been completed a short time ago.

HEAD TESTS FOR SINGING CAPACITY

LOS ANGELES.—A method of testing the ability of any person to sing, without having him even sing, has been devised by Theophilus Fitz, 45, recently director of music in the State Teachers' College of Music of Colorado. This method, which Professor Fitz says is his "contribution to science," is based upon a series of measurements of the head cavities that he declares he has worked down to exact mathematics. He does not find it necessary to see, touch or hear the individual as he works, which he terms "well-disposed." His income is as definite to him as mathematics. All he asks is that certain measurements of the head be taken correctly.

After learning these measurements and those of the subject, he makes his own calculations as to the size and shape of the head cavities and announces whether the subject, if a girl, is a soprano or contralto, and if a youth, whether he should sing the role of a bassoon or of a tenor.

"People often sing soprano just because Soprano does, although she ought to be singing contralto," says Professor Fitz. "And Bill insists upon singing bass, because he thinks it is manly, when he really ought to be a tenor."

Persons with round heads make the best singers, he says, because their head cavities are the most symmetrical; those with long heads come next and those with oval cavities rank last.

These items are from a study of destruction and renovation during January, 1918, which must be reckoned as several hundred million pounds.

During the winter of 1916, Belgian workingmen to the number of 1,750,000 were deported to Germany. The future production of these men was thus totally lost to their country.

## BELGIUM'S CLAIMS AMOUNT TO BILLIONS

LONDON, via Montreal.—Some items which figure on Germany's bill in Belgium are given as follows by an official Belgian source:

"Local contributions and fines levied by Germany on Belgium in 1914—£8,000,000.

"War contributions November, 1914, to October, 1916—£35,000,000.

"War contributions, seven months to May, 1917—£14,000,000.

"War contributions May, 1917, to May, 1918—£22,500,000.

"War contributions June to October of the current year—£15,000,000.

"Raw materials and machinery taken by the Germans were reckoned by them in January, 1915, at £50,000,000. The damage in December, 1914, estimated by the North German Gazette amounted to £4,200,000,000. This makes a grand total of £35,400,000,000.

"These items do not include destruction and renovation during January, 1918, which must be reckoned as several hundred million pounds.

"During the winter of 1916, Belgian workingmen to the number of 1,750,000 were deported to Germany. The future production of these men was thus totally lost to their country."

## GEORGE PAPAZIAN ILL.

Rev. Mr. George Papazian has received word of the illness of his son, George Papazian, at the student's arms training camp at Pomona, California. George Papazian has been in a critical condition since Tuesday morning, when pneumonia developed from influenza. Papazian graduated last term from the Fresno high school.

## Fresno's Yesterdays

Taken From the Files of the FRESNO REPUBLICAN

Forty Years Ago

**Symbol**—An old ram once usurped the old man's possessions. The old man soon saw he was desperate given to bunting. So much so that he was good for nothing else, and would bunt anything he saw moving. The old man, after being severely bunted one day, concluded that he would train the old dog a new trick, and teach him better. So the old man took a large block of wood, and suspended it from the limb of a tree. Presently the old ram saw it move a little, he gave it a bunt with his horns, away it swam in the air. Instantly the old man, after turning at him and met it half way, causing the block to swing with more force than before; and thus the block continued meeting a warm reception from the ram until the old man, worn out with laughter, retired to rest for the night, leaving the combatants to settle their own difficulties. The old man went out in the morning to see the result, and found nothing but the old ram's tail, and that still wriggled a little every time the block swung. The marks of a similar ram's tail can be seen at the Central California Colony still trying to wiggle. M. J. Church.

Twenty Years Ago

**Burlington, Iowa**—The worst blizzard in years prevailed in this locality today and tonight. Not a wire was working out of Burlington most of the time. The wires are prostrated everywhere. Snow and sleet fell for over five hours, demoralizing the telegraphic and telephonic service. Nine miles of telegraph wires are on the ground in this city.

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# NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS' SCHOOL TO-NIGHT

Number of Draft Men  
Now Drilling in County  
Is Eleven Hundred

Instruction in Platoon  
Work Introduced by  
Gallaher Last Night

Again there was a large turnout for the draft men's drill last night, over 100 men being in line. Captain S. L. Gallaher commanded, and besides continuing squad instruction, introduced instruction in platoons. Captain McClelland and Sergeant McCarthy assisted as platoon commanders.

Open Officers' School

The officers' school will start at 7:30 o'clock tonight. All the Wednesday night class will be expected to attend, and all draft men, whether in the classes or not, are invited. Captain Gallaher will have charge. All the men will be given practical work, and some of the more proficient may be chosen for special instruction.

According to cards issued, the number of draft men now drilling in the county is about 1,100, of whom a few more than half are drilling in Fresno. The roster of names is nearing completion.

Shanty Battle Possible

Plans for the big field drill and

March Sunday morning are rapidly

taking shape. The march will not be

made long, though now one man got

four feet last Sunday, but now military

features will be injected.

A detachment, to be dubbed "the en-

emy," will be sent ahead with instruc-

tions to try to surprise the main body

with its advanced guard and supports.

It is believed this measure will greatly

increase the enjoyment of the marchers.

The Sunday marchers are not en-

durance tests, but drills in marching

and battle formation.

At the end of the outward march

the men will find hot "mulligan"

and hot coffee, furnished by the national

guard, and served by the kitchen

squad.

## TO HOLD SERVICE FOR DR. W. T. BURKS

Funeral services for Dr. W. T. Burks, who died at noon on Monday, will be held at the Fresno cemetery this morning at 10:30 o'clock. The service is to be held under the auspices of the Fresno Masonic lodges, Harry C. Williams, Master.

It was announced yesterday that Dr. W. T. Burks, son of the late Dr. Burks, who is a captain in the medical department of the army, and who is stationed at Hattiesburg, Mississippi, would not be able to attend the funeral. The service will be held in the open air.



## Twa Mouthfu's o' Naething

It's a braw thocht  
Fir tae think  
Thot happiness  
Is showin' its face again  
In Belgium  
An' in France,  
Thot e's grown dim  
Wi bitter tears  
Are brichtenn' oop;  
Thot herts bled doon  
Wi load o' woe!  
Are growin' leicht;  
Thot hameless folk  
Has hames aince mair  
An' endurin' security  
Ahint th' advancin' lines  
O' th' battlin' lads  
In th' allied armies.  
Th' auld hames  
May be a' in ruins,  
But th' bricks, themsel's,  
In th' tumblin' walls  
Mau seem hamelike  
Tae th' pair souls  
Driven frae them,  
Like frichtened cattle,  
Be th' accursed Hun.  
It's gude tae think  
O' their joy  
As they cum back  
An' hoo they'll work,  
Slowly an' patiently,  
Pilin' brick on brick  
An' ston on ston,  
An' fashionin' a rool  
An' levelin' fields,  
Torn deep wi shells.  
Foot be foot  
An' acre be acre  
Wi spade an' shovel,  
Restin' odd whiles.  
Whilst they luik  
Wi glid e'es,  
At th' part reclaimed  
An' th' hause restored  
An' smilin', mayhaps.  
When their hert tells them:  
Thot th' robber neebor  
Thot they've feared  
O' a mad Kaiser  
An' his rotten ambitions.  
Vit Frien',  
SCOTTY.

## R. C. ANNUAL MEET POSTPONED 3 WEEKS

At a called meeting of the board of directors of the Red Cross held yesterday in the Edgerly building, decision was reached to postpone the annual meeting which was announced for tonight at the Municipal Auditorium, until three weeks hence, when it is hoped that all danger of "flu" contagion will be over and the annual public meeting will be held.

Efforts are being made to collect the balance of the second Red Cross drive funds pledged for which have not yet all been paid in entirely.

The Junior Red Cross, the activities of which have extended into many branches, are awaiting instructions from the Junior Red Cross auxiliary, of which Mrs. C. D. Collins is the executive secretary, before definite work for the winter is taken up.

Announcement is also made of the "nearest of kin" of soldiers overseas to wait for the official notification of the opening of the Red Cross box shop which will be given in the daily papers as soon as the boxes arrive. Only the people having the labels sent by the boys will be entitled to the boxes. Many applications are made each day, but only the above information regarding the boxes.

## R. C. KNITTING DEPT. REPORTS FOR YEAR

Report of the accomplishment of the knitting department of the Fresno chapter of the Red Cross covering the year, August 1, 1917, to September 1, 1918, is given in the following figures:

Woolen Sweaters, 6400; socks, 2762;

helmets, 352; wristlets, 234; mufflers,

337; afghans, 13; Belgian baby blankets, 18; cotton mops, 31; eve bandages, 139; hot water bottle covers, 861;

wash cloths, 8545; bandages, 647;

wipes or sponges, 442.

SHOOTS FINGERS  
OFF WITH CAP

By touching a lighted match to a dynamite cap yesterday, H. McPhie, 21, McPhie, avenged the loss of the first knuckle of his finger, and is 20 years old and according to his story he wanted to see if the thing would go off. His body was also filled with small particles of the copper. His injuries were dressed by Dr. Klaerke at the emergency hospital. He had found the cap.

## TAKE ACTION TO STOP INFLUENZA

FOWLER, Oct. 22.—The Fowler board of health, in session, has passed the following resolutions: First, that the following places are to close at once and remain so until further notice on account of the influenza epidemic: The churches, the high and grammar schools, picture shows and theaters and all public gatherings.

In the resolution it is also included that all children are prohibited from playing on the streets and must stay in their own yards.

It was also resolved that all pool halls, clubs, 30 p. m. and do not open until 9 a. m. The pool halls not complying with this regulation will be permanently closed during the epidemic.

**POLICE COURT NOTES**  
Charles Rivas, arrested recently on a grand larceny charge, in which it is alleged he attempted to steal money from Oroville, Calif., an Indian, was released in minor court yesterday, and was returned to jail under \$1000 bail.

Amelia Doran received a 30 day sentence from the police court yesterday on the charge of violating the state poison law by having marijuana in his possession.

## E. Allen White

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## SOCIETY

Friends of Mrs. C. Mathewson, who has been doing post-graduate work in medicine at Lane's hospital for several months, will be interested to know that she received her appointment yesterday as an army doctor, and has been assigned to the Letterman general hospital at the San Francisco General, as a contract surgeon. She will specialize in anesthesia.

In a telegram received yesterday by Mrs. W. A. Fitzgerald, president of the San Joaquin Valley District Federation of Women's Clubs, the anticipated tour of the valley by Mrs. H. A. Cable, president of the State Federation, has been canceled because of the influenza epidemic.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Griffith are anticipating a visit from the latter's sister, Mrs. Henry Aylla and daughter, Elizabeth, who will arrive today from Berkeley to spend some time.

Miss Nellie Borden has gone to San Francisco to spend a week or two this week.

Miss Marguerite Humphrey, who has been teaching school at Tracy, has returned home to remain during the period that the schools are closed because of the epidemic.

Miss Aimee Holmes has returned from the University of California to spend a short time at home.

Mrs. Bissell and her daughter, Miss Roxie Bissell, have taken one of the Swartz apartments on R street for the winter.

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The meeting of the Leisure Hour Club has been postponed indefinitely.

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At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Munson, on Friday evening will be solemnized the marriage of Miss Margaret Munson and Donald Ivan Griffith, of Del Rey. The ceremony will be performed by Dr. Will A. Betts, and bridal music will be given by Miss Lori Miller, soprano.

and Mrs. Margaret Hunter, at the piano.

The attendants at the nuptials will be Master Donald Howard, ring bearer; little Miss Helen Smith, flower girl, and Misses Esther Harris, Edna Irwin, Eddie Brown, Carlene Preasing, Hazel Hartman and Mrs. Archie Blingham will act as ushers.

Miss Alta Hood entertained informally at dinner on Monday evening, along with friends, for the South. Among those included in the party were Corporal James Bonnar, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brown, Miss Helen Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Hood, Mrs. C. W. Bonner, of San Francisco; Robert Reino.

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R. C. PARKING SPACE RESERVED

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## Arrivals Overseas

ON THE WAY FROM THE VALLEY TO THE RHINE.  
Homer P. Maxwell, Corporal Frank Case and John Smyer.

News of the arrival overseas of Homer P. Maxwell has been received by Mrs. Homer P. Maxwell of Fowler. He was formerly a member of the 16th Ambulance company, but owing to quarantining in Camp Mills he did not sail with his company in August, but went over to Europe later with Casual Company 402. John Smyer, son of Mrs. Mary Smyer

of Le Grand, has announced his safe arrival overseas in a note to his mother.

Mrs. D. G. Case has received a letter from her son, Corporal Frank Case, announcing that he has arrived in France.

Corporal Case joined the Colora in September, 1917, and went to Camp Lewis.

He is a member of Company K, 5th Infantry.

Edward Menzel, who has been the guest of Prof. and Mrs. Hohm, B. Dymott for a few days, motored home yesterday, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Milton E. Dymott and Mrs. John Dymott, who will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Menzel at their home near Newman for several days.

Mrs. C. W. Bonner, of San Francisco, is the house guest of Mrs. Frank C. Hood, on Olive avenue.

Miss Virginia Baker of Visalia is the house guest of Roland C. Redden this week, and will remain until the latter's departure for Fort Rosecrans, San Diego.

GIRL IS BITTEN  
BY RABID DOG

Dr. McKenna, Fresno veterinary county live stock inspector, received word yesterday from Berkeley that the dog that bit Josie Flanagan, 1725 G street, Saturday, was afflicted with rabies. The child was taken to the emergency hospital immediately by Tribune Officer Stafford for first aid treatment. The dog was shot and its head sent to Berkeley for examination.

DR. SCARIORI TAKEN ILL.

Dr. Scariori was taken ill yesterday and is now confined to his bed in the University Club. He has been complaining for several days. His condition, however, is not considered serious at present.

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THREE ARMY FLYERS  
SOAR ABOVE  
FRESNO

Lieut. Colonel Emmons  
Commands Yesterday's  
Flight Squadron

Lieut. Buffington Goes  
Over Fresno Like  
Rolling Hoop

Bearing on their wings the red circle and blue star of the American air fighters—the Inglenut that causes Huns to abandon their faith in the German Gott and scurry to hiding places when it appears in the German sky—three young Curtiss planes, coated above Fresno yesterday as gracefully as gulls and landed in easy glides at the high white "T" on Fresno's new aviation landing field near the towers on Bullard's tract. That is two of them. Volplaned gracefully with that of the long Egyptian cotton, which he says, is possible the best crop, but is difficult to produce.

Figures received by the Chamber of Commerce show that the price of cotton runs about 37 to 40 cents per pound, and the cotton is harvested at about the amount of one bale to the acre. The bale averages from 500 to 550 pounds. The cost of ginning a bale is estimated at \$8 per bale, ad the seed, which is used for cottonseed oil is worth \$63 a ton.

ASK MERCHANTS TO  
REDUCE SHIPPING

MERCHANTS AND MANUFACTURERS are being asked by the War Industries board of the United States to arrange their purchases and sales so that there will be no necessity for large returns of unsold merchandise, thus making a drain on the shipping facilities of the railroads, according to a letter received at the Fresno County Chamber of Commerce yesterday.

The board points out that the transportation of troops, munitions, supplies and shipbuilding materials must not be hampered by needless and wasteful use of shipping, and issues this appeal for reducing this source of increased demand on shipping.

BAKER PLEASED AT  
TAX COLLECTIONS

Satisfaction was expressed yesterday by County Tax Collector Ray W. Baker at the day's payments of the county tax. He reports that all day the clerks were kept busy issuing receipts. The total collections yesterday up to 12 o'clock was \$12,582.81.

The payments were credited to the following: County and School, \$1,265.49; Fresno city, \$3,935.76; Selma, \$339.61; Coalinga, \$61; Fowler, \$63.91; Visalia, \$37.81; Sanger, \$514.31; Chowchilla, \$17.00; Kingsburg, \$214.83; Firebaugh, \$31.46.

POSTPONE VALLEY  
PASTORS' MEETING

Announcement was made yesterday that the meeting of the Valley Preachers' Meeting of the Methodist church, which was to be held tomorrow at the First Methodist church of Fresno, has been postponed on account of the influenza epidemic. Dr. Will A. Betts, pastor of the First Methodist church, announced that the next meeting of the preachers will be the regular meeting in November.

The party remained on the field for an hour before sailing to Modesto, where they made a landing before continuing the trip to Sacramento. Lieut. Col. Emmons said the weather the three planes did not reach the coast, guided by Colonel Hensley, Lieut. S. B. Hawking, Lieut. De Hart and Lieut. T. L. Kenly. Monday was because they landed on a ranch near Bakersfield and were so royally received by the rancher that they concluded to accept his invitation to dinner and to spend the night at his home. In yesterday's party of flyers were Lieut. Col. Emmons, Lieut. John S. Buffington, Major John S. B. Stevenson, Sergt. Lester Willard, Lieut. H. C. Kenly and M. B. Robbins.

CHURCH R. C. AUXILIARY  
TO MEET

An urgent call has been sent out to the women of the Red Cross auxiliary of the First Christian church to report at the church today and Friday with luncheons. A large number of hospital garments must be completed by October 30.

HENRY TAYLOR PASSES AWAY

Henry Taylor died yesterday at his late residence, 1855 Mary street. He was a native of England and was 64 years old. He is survived by the widow, Mrs. Ellen Taylor, and three sons, George, Walter H. and Fred Taylor, all of Fresno.

Funeral arrangements are in the hands of Lyle Bros.

CALWA MASON DIES

Donald E. Elligh, Sr., died yesterday at home in Clovis. He is survived by the widow, Mrs. Ellen Elligh, and three sons, Donald, and mother, Mrs. Mary Peterson.

Funeral services will be held at the cemetery under the auspices of the Masonic Lodge of which he was a member. Date will be announced later.

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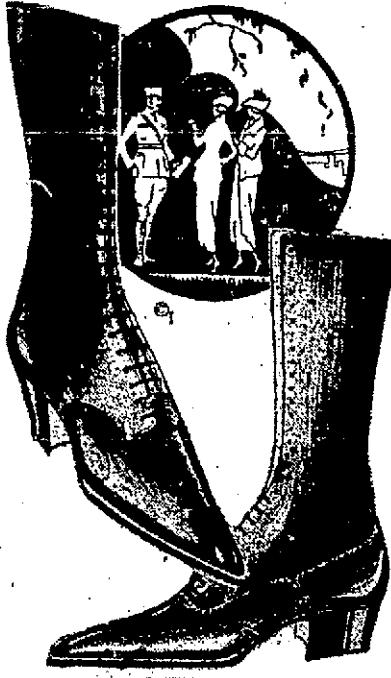
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\$5.95 A Pair for New Fall Oxfords  
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New Fall Oxfords in dark gray, brown, black and patent leather with French and military heels are in this group.

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## Children's Skuffer Shoes, Sizes 5 to 8, \$1.69

Sizes 8 1/2 to 11 ..... \$1.89  
Sizes 11 1/2 to 2 ..... \$2.00  
Made of full stock calfskin; stitched soles.

## Growing Girls' Shoes \$1.95

Worth \$3.50 a pair; black cloth tops and patent kid vamps; button styles with low flat heels; sizes 2 1/2 to 8.

## Women's \$3 Comfort Shoes \$1.95

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## MILES IS PRAISED FOR LOAN VICTORY IN FRESNO

"Fresno Is in High Place On Honor Roll of State"—Blyth

"Organization and Methods Are Justified by Results," He Says

W. O. Miles, Fresno, Cal.  
Your wonderful campaign has for the fourth time put Fresno County in high place on honor roll of state. When final figures are in I have no doubt your old record will be maintained. Heartiest congratulations to you and those of your organization who have done actual field work in 100 per cent. Your organization and methods have been justified by results of this campaign. CHAS. R. BLYTH.

In the foregoing telegram of congratulation to Chairman W. O. Miles of the Fourth Liberty Loan committee, Charles R. Blyth, campaign director for the Northern District of California, congratulated the nation upon that "Fresno Never Fails." The telegram was sent before all returns were in and when Blyth learns that Fresno county has gone more than \$1,000,000 over the top he will find that the "old record" not only has been maintained, but has been surpassed.

Although no further reports will be made in the city banks until Thursday, Campaign Manager Fred B. Fox announced yesterday that the different committees throughout the county had reported an additional \$30,000 during the day. The city banks will make their final report Thursday.

**Strong Arm** Body Continued.

Fox yesterday made public a letter from George A. Van Smith, publicity director of the twelfth Federal district, in which he said of a check he had urging the "confidential committee" to continue its work during the period between the fourth and fifth loan. The letter follows:

San Francisco, Oct. 20, 1918.  
Chairman Northern California  
Liberty Loan Committee.

Gentlemen:—

The General Executive Board of the Twelfth Federal Reserve District today adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved: That the General Executive Board of the Twelfth Federal Reserve District approve the publication wherever considered necessary by Local Liberty Loan

## Y. W. WORKERS WRITE FROM ABROAD; AUTHOR LAUDS "W"

"We at the front are doing our best—we are willing to give our all. We want to save nothing for ourselves, if only by giving we can bring peace to the world." These were the words that Lieutenant Collier, Director of the Canadian Field artillery, and author of "The Glory of the Trenches," sent from the battlefield in northern France. "You at home," he continued in a letter, "cannot fight with your lives. You can fight with your mercy. The Y. W. C. A. is offering you just this opportunity. They garrison the women's support trenches which lie behind the men's. They ask you to supply them with the munitions of mercy that they may pass them on to us."

Miss Maude Wolff, secretary of the local Y. W. C. A., stated yesterday that as soon as the influenza quarantine is lifted, the association will immediately start active work on the women's war movement of the day, including the girls' work, war activities in the training clubs, and the first aid and home care of the sick classes.

In a War Work Bulletin, published by the national board of the Young Women's Christian Association, recently received by the local Y. W. C. A., are given many interesting letters from nurses and Y. W. secretaries overseas. The following is an extract from a secretary's letter: "This morning a convoy came in, mostly stretcher cases, and the ambulance started before six and worked until nearly eight. I got up early for breakfast and then went to Ward 8, where some of the women cases are and where many men cannot feed themselves. I fed breakfast to two or three who could not use their arms, and then some others asked me to write letters for them, so I did that."

"I saw how tired the nurses were and determined to serve tea, even though all we have is the shell of a house, so by heating a kettle of water on the kitchen stove and using a packing box for a table, I served tea, cheese and nut sandwiches and cakes I got at the Y. M. C. A. You never saw people

Committees and where careful investigation has first been made of the names of persons, firms or corporations who without good cause have failed to subscribe to the Fourth Liberty Loan or have made flagrantly inadequate contributions."

Very truly yours,  
GEORGE A. VAN SMITH.  
In this connection it might be well to state that while on this last campaign it has not been deemed necessary to resort to the extreme measure indicated above, yet it is well for the public to realize that the authority has been granted to do so. It would be well for any person who feels that he has not done his full duty in proportion to his resources during the past four campaigns, to place himself in readiness to make an adequate subscription during the early days of the fifth campaign.

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## MORE ADJUSTMENTS IN REVENUE BILL

Tax of 1 Per Cent on Incomes From \$500 to \$6000

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—Surtaxes adopted by the House on individual net incomes below \$100,000 would be lowered, and those on incomes in excess of that amount increased under amendments to the war revenue bill adopted today by the Senate Finance Committee.

A tax of 1 per cent would be levied on incomes between \$500 and \$5000, with an additional 1 per cent surtax for each \$2000 in excess of that amount up to \$100,000, when the rate would be 52 per cent. A gradual scale is then fixed under which a surtax of 65 per cent would be levied on net incomes exceeding \$1,000,000.

The change in income surtaxes was the second decided revision made in the House draft of the bill at today's session, the committee previously having voted to eliminate the alternative system of taxing war and excess profits in favor of a general rate of 80 per cent of war profits and a reduced tax on excess profits.

The revision of income surtaxes, the members of the committee said, will provide "more uniform" tax scale, while the reduction in revenue will amount to less than \$25,000,000. As revised by the Senate committee, incomes from \$100,000 to \$150,000 would pay a surtax of 52 per cent, and those between \$150,000 and \$200,000 would be taxed 56 per cent. From \$200,000 to \$300,000 the rate would be 60 per cent; \$300,000 to \$500,000, 63 per cent; \$500,000 to \$1,000,000, 64 per cent, and above \$1,000,000, 65 per cent. Compared to the House rate, this would be an increase of 6 per cent for incomes between \$100,000 and \$200,000; 8 per cent for those between \$200,000 and \$300,000; 9 per cent for those between \$300,000 and \$500,000, and 6 per cent from that amount to \$1,000,000. Under the House bill 60 per cent would be imposed on incomes between one and five million, and 65 per cent on those above the latter amount. Of the \$1,045,000 which the Senate committee's amendment is expected to yield, it is estimated at \$700,045,000 would be paid by persons having an income exceeding \$100,000.

In order to protect small corporations under the war profit schedule, the committee late today inserted an amendment providing that in no case shall the tax be more than 35 per cent of the amount of the net income in excess of \$300,000 and not in excess of \$20,000 plus 10 per cent of the amount of net income in excess of \$20,000. This amendment, senators explained, will prevent the taxes of small corporations running up to the 60 per cent limit.

## CHARGE FRAUD IN TOBACCO MARKET

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—Five tobacco corporations and a number of their officers and directors were charged in a formal complaint today by the Federal Trade Commission with price discrimination in the sale of cigarettes and other tobacco products, resulting in creating a monopoly, unfair methods of competition, under the maintenance of interstate directorate and illegal conservation of control of producing companies.

Those named are the Tobacco Products Corporation of Richmond, Va.; the Melachrino Tobacco Trading Company, New York; Schinasi Brothers, Inc., New York; the Prudential Tobacco Company, Inc., New York; the Falc Tobacco Company, of Virginia, and George L. Strom, Rubin Miller, L. B. McKitterick and Leo Schluess.

The defendants were ordered to appear before the commission in Washington on December 7, to show cause why the corporation should not be required to disgorge of stock held in violation of the Clayton Act.

The Tobacco Products corporation, the complaint alleges, acquired all the stock and capital of the four other concerns, and also controls the Khedivial company of New York, the Standard Tobacco Company, Inc., and Stefano Brothers, Inc., both of Virginia; the Nestor Giandini company of Maine and the Suburb company of New Jersey. It is charged that the corporation with the intent of stifling competition in the manufacture and sale of tobacco products concealed its ownership and control of these corporations.

Further charges include payment of commissions under rebates to dealers who advertised products of these corporations. The corporation, it is charged, for the last six months has paid the Louis Lippert company, owner of about 700 retail chain stores, more than commissions, amounting to 5 per cent of products purchased by it and has contracted to pay this company further improper commissions.

WASTE \$100,000  
TO RAISE SHIP

PAPETE, Tahiti, Sept. 13.—(By Mail)—Seekers of treasures, after spending more than \$100,000 in chartering a steamer and equipping an expedition, have discovered that the object of their quest is worthless and the money expended lost.

An iron vessel was wrecked on the shore of the island of Takaroa. The same company which some years ago raised the steamer *Wilkure* in Papeete harbor dispatched a representative to report on the condition of the wreck. On the strength of this report the steamer *Raymond* was chartered and fitted out.

When ready for the work of salvage to commence, it was discovered that the plates on the vessel's hull were rusted through and that they could not stand the strain of an ordinary anchor. All attempts at salvaging the ship had to be abandoned.

BOYS IN BLUE  
FOR ALASKA

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, Oct. 1.—(By Mail)—Blue instead of khaki will be worn by Alaska home guard units, it is expected. Governor Thomas Riggs, Jr., of Alaska, while here recently, viewed a local company and announced that steps had been taken toward getting the uniforms.

Alaska has no territorial militia at present. It is expected that the next session of the legislature at Juneau, the capital, will convert the home guards into official bodies similar to the national guard organizations outside in the states.

Governor Riggs is a private in the Juneau home guards. As governor of the territory he will be commander-in-chief of the militia if it is formed.

## EASTLAND WRECK CASES DISMISSED

CHICAGO, Oct. 22.—State cases in criminal court against men indicted in connection with the steamer Eastland disaster of July 24, 1915, were cleared from the dockets today. The case against Walter K. Greenbaum, general manager of the Indiana Transportation company, charterer of the boat, was dismissed on motion of the state's attorney and manslaughter charges against four officials of the St. Joseph Chicago Steamship company were dismissed with leave to restate.

Shortly after the state's unsuccessful attempt to try the men, according to the state's attorney, and this resulted in the state dropping the case.

**CERTIFYING HERDS**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 22.—Every dairy herd in the United States that on July 1 had been officially accredited as free from tuberculosis or that had passed successfully one test with a view to certification is listed in a publication of the bureau of animal industry, United States Department of Agriculture, a copy of which has just been received here.

Certificates of freedom from tuberculosis are soon to be issued by the bureau of animal industry to all owners of accredited herds.

Copies of the lists are available for use of public bodies and private individuals.

**DOUBLE TRAGEDY.**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 22.—With bodies wrapped in shrouds their heads the bodies of Mrs. Elsie Stone, 35, a widow, and one little, a contracting plumber of Daly City, near here, were found in a room in Mrs. Stone's home here today. Neighbors said that Little had been paying unwelcome attentions to Mrs. Stone for several months.

## HUGHES TO STAY FOR PEACE MEET

MELBOURNE, Oct. 22, via Montreal—William Morris Hughes, the Australian premier, has agreed to the request of the Australian government that he remain in London during the present discussion concerning possible peace in order to look after the interests of Australia. Acting Premier Watt announced his decision in a speech at St. Kilda. It also was noted, Mr. Watt said, that if peace should come, Mr. Hughes would be able to arrange the machinery for the speedy demobilization of the Australian troops.

MANILA, P. I., Oct. 22.—The Philippines islands have more than doubled their Liberty Loan quota, with more subscriptions remaining to be tabulated, it was officially announced here.

**TO SAVE PAPER**  
LOS ANGELES, Oct. 22.—Ice cream vendors of Los Angeles have begun a campaign to save paper. They are issuing requests to their patrons to save the cartons and paper buckets in which they carry ice cream home, to wash them thoroughly and take them back to be used again when they want a new supply. To aid in the paper saving, the vendors have decided to charge 2 cents a bucket when a new container is used.

**EDUCATION FOR ALASKA.**  
NOME, Alaska, Sept. 15.—Mr. Mail-Eskinas in all parts of northwestern Alaska are preparing to welcome W. T. Lopp of Seattle, superintendent of the education of Alaskan natives, when he arrives here soon. Superintendent Lopp has been closely connected with the work of teaching Alaskan Eskimos for many years. According to the government teachers, many of the northern natives think Lopp ranks second in power and prestige to the President.

## Standard Dry Mash

(A Balanced Ration)

Makes Hens Lay.

Formula prepared by Fresno Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock Association.

Lactein, Scratch Food, Poultry Supplies

J. B. HILL & CO.

# An Important Message Regarding the Sugar Shortage

**T**HREE'S an old saying  
"It's an ill wind that blows  
no good!"

Everyone has been inconvenienced more or less by the sugar shortage. Many people still rely entirely on sugar for sweetening and, of course, are inconvenienced.

But thousands of housewives have not only found "a way out" during the present shortage, but have learned a thing or two that will stick forever—sugar or no sugar.

Here's a fact: Sugar only sweetens—it gives absolutely no flavor.

**Brer Rabbit** real New Orleans Molasses not only sweetens like sugar, but it gives

a rich, delicious flavor to all cooking and baking.

Yet **Brer Rabbit** is not a "substitute" for sugar. It is practically sugar itself. Like sugar it is made from sugar cane and contains a large amount of real sugar.

Is it not quite natural that resourceful housewives have turned to **Brer Rabbit** Molasses during the sugar shortage?

### For the Children

Youngsters naturally crave molasses. Years ago sliced bread and molasses were part of the daily diet of children.

**Gold Label Brer Rabbit** Molasses gives to the child the elements the young growing body needs. **Brer Rabbit** is absolutely pure, wholesome, palatable and strengthening. Doctors will tell you what molasses and bread means to children.

Besides, it saves sugar, cuts the butter bill.

### There are Two Kinds of Brer Rabbit Molasses

Both are Absolutely Pure New Orleans Molasses

**GOLD LABEL Brer Rabbit** is mild in flavor, light in color and is delicious for table use—as a spread for pancakes, waffles, biscuits, etc. It is especially fine for cooking, baking and candy making.

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The World's Largest Canners of Molasses

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## PURE NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES

*The real New Orleans  
Molasses  
from New Orleans*

Penick & Ford's  
**Brer Rabbit**  
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Pure  
New Orleans  
Molasses  
LIGHT COLOR

## FOR THEIR COUNTRY

Roll of Those Killed or Wounded, as Announced by U. S. Government Yesterday

## CALIFORNIANS.

## KILLED IN ACTION.

CORP. ANTHONY GORSKY..... 1910 Oak St., Pasadena, Cal.  
CORP. ERNEST E. GUIDO..... 1401 East Oakland, Cal.

## MISSING IN ACTION.

PRI. FRANK J. GABRIEL..... 1817 M St., Sacramento, Cal.  
PRI. HARRY HUBERT HOVEY..... 129 Franklin St., Los Angeles, Cal.

## PRI. JANERO SOUZA..... Point Reyes, Cal.

PRI. SILVIE JUNE LUSARDI..... 664 Pac. St., San Luis Obispo, Cal.

## WOUNDED SEVERELY.

PRI. GEORGE W. NORTON..... Monroe, Cal.

## DIED OF WOUNDS.

PRI. HUGH GARRITY..... 3227 Malabar St., Los Angeles, Cal.  
PRI. LUTHER W. GREEN..... El Centro, Cal.

## PRI. ROBERT C. McLAUGHLIN..... Modesto, Cal.

PRI. THOS. TUCKER..... Suisunville, Cal.

## WOUNDED—DEGREE UNDETERMINED.

PRI. NICK GASSOUSIS..... 435 7th St., Oakland, Cal.

## PRI. CHARLES A. MELBY..... Palms, Cal.

PRI. MARTIN ANDERSON..... Manteca, Cal.

## PRI. ARCHIE OLIVER BROWN..... 326 S. Gordon St., Visalia, Cal.

PRI. DANIEL NARVES..... 543 N. 13th St., San Jose, Cal.

## PRI. DALLAS E. PREBLE..... 619 Van Ness Ave., Santa Ana, Cal.

PRI. COLOMBO STARICO..... 1223 Ninth St., Alameda, Cal.

## WAGONER WM. A. BELL..... Calexico, Cal.

## DIED OF DISEASE.

PRI. CLYDE O. HEMPHILL..... Blue Lake, Cal.

The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American expeditionary forces:

Killed in action..... 140  
Missing in action..... 115

Wounded severely..... 118

Wounded slightly..... 150

Died of accident and other causes..... 9

Died of wounds..... 60

Wounded, degree undetermined..... 467

Died of disease..... 137

Prisoners..... 22

Died from airplane accidents..... 1

Total..... 1218

Section One, Army List

KILLED IN ACTION.

Lieutenants

Jacob Feldman, Merchantville, N. J.

Thomas D. Lake, Jr., Laurens, S. C.

Harold E. Loud, Oscoda, Mich.

William K. Frampton, Felton, Del.

Percy R. Preston, Denvers, Colo.

Sergeants

John Edward Hadley, Pittsburg, Pa.

Archie R. Schaffer, Allentown, Pa.

Frank W. Smith, Isle of Wight, Va.

Garrett Smith, Grand Rapids, Mich.

Roy S. Butzner, Missouri, Mont.

James L. Carmichael, New York, N. Y.

Keith W. Howat, Pittsburg, Pa.

Robert L. McClain, Montana, Kas.

Corporals

Frank J. Brinkman, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Glen Croce, Hicksville, Ohio.

Edward W. J. Luedtke, Milwaukee, Wis.

Harold S. Murphy, Housontonic, Mass.

Geo. W. Hoblitzell, Jersey City, N. J.

Forrest L. Cooney, Tell City, Ind.

Michael A. Hughes, Jersey City, N. J.

Wagoners

Sanford Saydson, Kanawha, Iowa.

Mechanics

John E. Schuman, New York, N. Y.

Walter E. Groves, Olney, Texas.

Privates

G. Alberti, Caserta, Sicilia, Italy.

Stanley H. Bergstrom, Clinton, Minn.

John Brown, New York, N. Y.

Roya Livingston Burns, Port Chester, N. Y.

William R. Burt, Cornwall, England.

Timothy J. Callahan, Gortinport, Co. Kerry, Ireland.

William W. Cockey, Norfolk, Va.

John E. Coleman, Ruston, Texas.

John C. Eckman, Galesburg, Ill.

Alonzo Finch, Linwood, Utah.

Orion B. Foster, Rogers, Texas.

Christian F. Gladel, Collegeport, N. Y.

David P. Gittens, Lake Crescent, Minn.

Clifford W. Gobell, Mingo, Tex.

Isadore Goldberg, Baltimore, Md.

Dove S. Green, Union, Conn.

Harold F. Hand, Scranton, Md.

John T. Hough, Andalusia, Ala.

Martin Luther Hedges, Hoboken, N. J.

Dimitrius H. Huff, Bertram, Texas.

Joseph N. Kiewcz, Morris Run, Pa.

August W. Kemmer, Newark, N. J.

Andrew H. Klein, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Adolph H. Klusner, Lyle, Minn.

Paul Matron, Calabria, Italy.

H. C. Minnick, Lambert, Minn.

Michael Mongan, Hoboken, N. J.

Thomas W. Myers, Tarzum, Pa.

Walter Oszpinski, Guberna, Lulea, Mala, Lukow, Russia, Poland.

Leon P. Pierce, Milton, Pa.

John Quelate, Groce, Okla.

Frank Remo, Camerino, Marche, Italy.

Henry Reuter, Valley Mills, Texas.

Frederick E. Bushard, Ludlow, Vt.

George Banish, McLean, Rocks, Pa.

Harry J. Bunting, Dallas, Texas.

Ned, Bunt, Cisco, Texas.

John E. Box, Creekola, Okla.

John Lee Burley, Ambler, Virginia.

Guy L. Crawford, Soper, Okla.

Sinson D. Dodrill, Webster Springs, W. Va.

Alice B. Dyke, New Truxton, Mo.

Walter T. Fournier, McKee, Rocks, Pa.

Arthur W. Fritch, Deckerville, Mich.

Gabilio Gutierrez, Swink, Colo.

Abe Harris, Clearfield, Pa.

Harold M. Jordan, Abilene, Kansas.

Harry H. Keane, St. Louis, Mo.

Benjamin Kibben, New York, N. Y.

Wilber C. Kopp, Princeton, Ill.

Joseph Racine, Tarklin, R. I.

Arlie E. Richards, Kanakee, Ill.

George E. Troxell, Gallatin, Pa.

Dominic J. Enier, Gratiot, Co., Sedor, Italy.

Michael G. Helle, Pittsburg, Pa.

Jacob Kolbeck, Allentown, Pa.

Harry S. Bowler, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Joseph W. Boyd, Aurora, Ill.

Joseph M. Brady, Philadelphia, Pa.

Bob Brooks, Winton, Pa.

Ernest O. Clark, Beaumont, Texas.

Harold E. Conway, Cortland, N. Y.

Bernard A. Fischer, Philadelphia, Pa.

William E. Goss, Jersey City, N. J.

Mark Goode, Nashville, Tenn.

Harrison H. Hildreth, Dola, W. Va.

Otto L. Hilkens, Anderson, Ind.

Alexander J. Hilton, Crystal Springs, Miss.

Domenico Iane, Potenza, Italy.

John Lee, New York, N. Y.

Mike Lumber, Jeannette, Pa.

Frank D. Minges, Gearl, Okla.

Jesse Purdie, Gallagher, W. Va.

Charles J. Shriver, Philadelphia, Pa.

John Sullivan, Kenmore, County, N. Y.

Kerry, Ireland.

MISSING IN ACTION

Fred Philbrick, Fullerton, Neb.

Alfred A. L. Young, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Corporals

George J. Krava, Leavenworth, Kas.

Allan Hector, Milan, Gloucester, Mass.

Earl J. Spalding, Akron, O.

Mechanics

Frank W. Brady, Scranton, Pa.

Coow Walter III, Philadelphia, Pa.

Privates

Ray M. Aherns, Chicago, Ill.

Richard Auhuchen, St. Louis, Mo.

Peter Baumian, Anchorage, Pa.

James J. Helio, Alexandria, La.

Luciano Caporaso, Benevento, Italy.

John J. Carr, Brigantine, Wis.

Orville Albert Clark, Phelps, N. Y.

John F. Crawford, Grandon, Va.

Theodore O. Dale, Scranton, Pa.

Norman Davis, Macon, Ga.

Frederick Dennis, Richwood, O.

Jesus Q. Callender, Atoka, Ill.

Ivan Chidz, Ash Camp, Ky.

Leon Benjamin, Churchill, Quonduaga, Vt.

J. W. Conte, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Michael Cordas, Bayonne, N. J.

Robert T. Cummings, Clayton, Wash.

Bernard C. Elchoff, Toledo, Ohio.

Ralph Eichoff, Tippecanoe City, O.

William Henry Gaffney, Methuen, Mass.

Lawrence B. Gibbs, Ft. Riley, Kas.

Elwin Grout, Lincoln, N. H.

DIED FROM ACCIDENT AND OTHER CAUSES

Privates

Jos. Karolik, Bridgeport, Conn.

David Mendelsohn, New Bedford, Mass.

Walter Sobiske, Bridgeport, Conn.

DIED OF WOUNDS

Capt. John L. Taylor, Laredo, Texas.

Lt. Edwin E. Hites, Des Moines, Ia.

Sergeants

Bernard E. Althoff, Hanover, Pa.

Harry P. Brub, Cedarhurst, N. Y.

Inry L. Stevens, Pottstown, Pa.

Corporals

Alvan N. Buckman, Skowhegan, Me.

Arthur L. Garrity, Bradley Beach, N. J.

Norman E. Long, California, St.

Mary's Co., Md.

## FOR THEIR COUNTRY

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Joseph S. McAdoo, Reynoldsville, Pa.

Corporals

Lorenzo E. Spoor, Levering, Mich.

Jacie A. Swofford, Mori, Texas.

Privates

Theron C. Catriss, Pottsville, Pa.

Wm. Crotty, Marion, Ohio.

Chas. A. Dixon, Ralston, Wash.

Dewey Dutton, Bruce, La.

Meritt B. Durham, Blue Mountain, Miss.

Jas. F. Ellis, Hackleburg, Ala.

Theophilus Farnum, Dulce, Ala.

Milton C. Fisher, Prattville, Ala.

Roy Hanover, English, Ind.

Oscar R. Hegeon, Elgin, Wis.

Myrl Darwin Hopingarner, White Pine, Mich.

Jess Hurley, Ridge, Mont.

Peter Laurusa, Johnstown, Pa.

Carl Clarence Leslie, Alva, Okla.

Albert George Litchfield, Medina, N. Y.

Geo. Koefler, Jr., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Charles F. Luden, East St. Louis, Mo.

Joseph Lohmann, Philadelphia, Pa.

Gov. Edward McClinton, Kelleysville, Pa.

Alva McFarland, Cleo Springs, Okla.

Nathan J. Miers, De Ridder, La.

Jas. Morris, Patchogue, N. Y.

Eugene O'Boyle, Cleveland, Ohio.

Frank Metz Peter, Youngstown, O. C.

Clay Richwine, Gardner, Pa.

Frederick F. Roeding, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Thomas Ruzzo, Taverna Catozora, Italy.

Kentish Sachrison, Erie, Pa.

Joe B. Spiegel, Erie, Pa.

Paul Sturt, Gary, Ind.

Stanley Stantry, Erie, Pa.

John Staszewski, Bayview, N. Y.

Frank Utkowitz, New York, N. Y.

John J. Watters, Bay City, Mich.

Harry L. Wilson, Philadelphia, Pa.

WOUNDED SEVERELY

Captain Joseph T. Watson, Lake Place, N. Y.

Corporals

Lawrence Blinion, Birmingham, Ala.

Lewis Jones, Carrington, Okla.

Privates

Kenneth C. Dodderidge, White City, Okla.

Gordon Fuller, Ans, Ala.

Leon F. Goodwin, Dexter, Maine.

John Kerr, Mammoth Ave., Ky.

Harry Kramer, Chicago, Ill.

Jeremiah T. O'Brien, Garfield, Pa.

Millard Osborne, Elmer, Okla.

Robert W. Owens, Steedman, Okla.

Elmer J. Powers, Youngstown, Ohio.

Charles F. Shoemaker, Grand Rapids, Mich.

Lefty Andrew Weborn, Axtell, Kas.

Jas. A. Wells, Decatur, Ill.

Paul G. Wilson, Centrahoma, Okla.

DIED FROM ACCIDENT AND OTHER CAUSES

Sergeant James Watson, Ft. Wood, N. Y.

Mechanic Jerry LaGrossa, Passaic, N. J.

Horseshoer Joseph Walsh, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Privates

Frank Binnanti, Passaic, N. J.

John Orwicks, Milwaukee, Wis.

Falmouth Hendrie, Marysville, S. C.

DIED OF WOUNDS

Corporals

Edwin C. Small, Plymouth, Mass.

Arthur F. Turner, Grantsburg, Ind.

John N. Williams, Chicago Heights, Ill.

Privates

Raymond Chester Brumbaugh, Coles Summit, Pa.

Harvey Cook, Marion, W. Va.

John F. Kemper, Scranton, Pa.

Charles Moore, Mendeville, Miss.

Joseph Reudnitzki, Milltown, N. J.

John Lawrence Wallace, Jersey City, N. J.

Charles Wascha, Cleveland.

WOUNDED—(DEGREE UNDETERMINED)

Miners

Captains

John M. Gentner, Philadelphia.

Thomas A. Mosely, Dallas, Texas.

Junius Leigh Walthall, Birmingham, Ala.

Lieutenants

Joseph A. Cistro, Danbury, Conn.

Alan R. Cole, Bridgeton, Me.

Oliver W. Hammond, Port Chester, N. Y.

Henry C. Hobbs, Somerville, Mass.

Harry J. Kulp, Morristown, Pa.

John H. Litschart, Philadelphia.

Windsor Smith, Buffalo.

Sergeants

Walter Bohen, New Britain, Conn.

James J. Dorney, McKeesport, Pa.

James L. Fullon, Danville, Pa.

William E. Frederick, Sharpsburg, Pa.

John P. Greene, Philadelphia.

William S. Grim, Friendly, W. Va.

William H. Hambrick, Huntsville, Ala.

Wm. W. Hartman, Philadelphia.

Christian Heisler, Pottsville, Pa.

Roy D. Hitchcock, East Hampton, Conn.

Edward Hornung, Corona, N. Y.

Winthrop E. Hubbell, Etnowburg Falls, Vt.

George C. Huber, Scranton, Pa.

Floyd C. Johnson, Alliance, O.

William S. Johnson, Philadelphia.

Joseph D. Keiner, Philadelphia.

George D. Laval, White River Jct., Vt.

Monroe E. Link, Terre Haute, Ind.

Edward Livesey, Newburyport, Mass.

Fred K. Longsdorff, Williamsport, Pa.

Marvin E. Lester, Naples, Texas.

Frank R. Monroe, Philadelphia.

Hugold Miller, Reading, Pa.

Charles J. Opperman, Lyndora, Pa.

Joseph Payne, Port Perry, Pa.

Thomas Renwick, Schenectady, N. Y.

Delly A. Smith, Bloomington, Pa.

John J. Sullivan, East Boston, Mass.

Otto Wolz, Brooklyn.

Corporals

Charles W. Bleakney, Rose Point, Pa.

Will Bolting, Butler Springs, Ala.

Charles C. Brearley, Harrisburg, Pa.

Michael Buckwitz, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

John J. Callahan, Uddington, Scottland.

George T. Campbell, Barnesboro, Pa.

William J. Callahan, Newark, N. J.

Frank R. Cough, Chester, Pa.

Morris Cohen, Philadelphia.

David J. Collins, Payntuck, R. I.

Hugh J. Cook, Philadelphia.

Harold D. Miller, Clarke Summit, Pa.

William L. Corry, Philadelphia.

Robert J. Fenley, Scranton, Pa.

Joseph F. Flannery, Brattleboro, Vt.

John Flynn, Philadelphia.

Anthony Griffith, Jefferson, S. C.

Edward Griffith, Jefferson, S. C.

Walter H. Hafner, Philadelphia.

Harry H. Harrington, Berwick, Pa.

Oscar F. Harwood, Ryle, Texas.

Joseph L. Hoover, Covington, Ohio.

Walter G. Hunt, Brighton, Ill.

Richard A. Kavanaugh, Covington, Ky.

Francis McLaughlin, New York.

Charles A. McLean, Philadelphia.

Frank Martin, Philadelphia.

Horace F. Mason, Desenser, Ala.

Philip Peterson, Philadelphia.

William M. Sapper, Philadelphia.

James McGowan Shearer, New Hampton, Pa.

Levi A. Siefert, Berwick, Pa.

Calvin O. Storner, New Ringgold, Pa.

Fred K. J. Street, Hockaster, N. Y.

Lester Wallace, Brooklyn.

Madison J. Williams, Selma, Ala.

Sergeants

William J. Fuss, Scranton, Pa.

Charles N. Watson, Winton, N. C.

Pr.

Clifford M. Morrow, Kansas City, Mo.

John J. Morrow, Philadelphia, Pa.

Mark J. Nelson, Princeton, Minn.

Allen Nobles, Lacey Springs, Ala.

Rolla Noel, Freedon, Ind.

Joseph P. O'Brien, Providence, R. I.

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# News From Central California

## FARMERS DISCUSS MILK MAIZE SEED

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BIGLINO, Oct. 22.—At the meeting of the Delta Farm Center Monday night, Acting Farm Advisor Rice was present and led the discussion on the selection of milk maize seed, the growing of forage crops for the winter, and the advantages of planting the early hard seed wheat. Clifford Powers was delegated to attend the monthly meetings of the Kern County Farm Bureau at Bakersfield. Several new names were added to the membership roll at the close of the meeting.

A. P. Hollsappel has received returns from his raisin shipment. He had 225 tons of raisins besides the grapes sold from a fifteen-acre vineyard, reducing about \$1000 from his shipment.

M. Smith has shipped 200 tons of hay purchased from E. B. Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Baumgartner have up from Los Angeles looking after their property, not far from town. A 127-foot well was put down and a reservoir built. Charles Baumgartner, a nephew, is now living on the place.

C. H. Finley has returned from a trip to San Francisco and other points. Finley bought seed wheat of the early hard variety to plant 800 acres. He has also leased 1500 acres from the Jasmin Land Company through their representative, George Turner Wells, who with his mother, Mrs. Mary T. Wells, came up from Los Angeles last week to look after the property at Jasmin.

A. E. Imbler has shipped his raisin crop after packing in cases. He is well pleased with its output this year.

C. E. Carlisle, a well-known farmer near town, and Miss Jessie Graham of Orange, were married on Wednesday at the residence of Mrs. W. H. Smith by the Rev. J. R. Clark of Los Angeles, who is visiting there. Mr. and Mrs. Carlisle will reside on their place northeast of town.

Burr Baldwin of Bakersfield, a nephew of Everett E. Timmons and Mrs. A. Woolsey, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Timmons, passed away in Oakland, where he was working in the shipyards, and was buried from his home in Bakersfield. When returning from the hospital in Bakersfield, the back of the car in which he was discovered to be on fire. Mrs. Woolsey jumped out and sustained a fractured limb and cuts on the head. She was immediately rushed back to the Mercy hospital in Bakersfield, where she is resting easily.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Smith and children spent Sunday in Fresno with their son Floyd, who has enlisted in the marines.

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MODESTO DOCTOR  
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MODESTO, Oct. 22.—Dr. J. C. Robertson left today for Camp Kearny, where he will report as captain in the medical corps and will be assigned to surgical work in the base hospital. His first orders were to report at Camp Oglethorpe, Georgia, but he was recently ordered to Camp Kearny temporarily. Dr. Robertson stopped over today at Visalia to visit his father, before leaving for his military duties. Mrs. Robertson and sons, Donald and Kenneth will remain at their home here for the period of the war. Miss Nina Robertson is a student at the University of California.

The authorities of 1906 changed entirely the plan of Dr. Robertson and his family, who were then at San Francisco ready to sail for Korea, where the doctor, as a medical missionary, was to have charge of a large hospital. Prior to that time the doctor had held pastorate of the Methodist Episcopal church south, at Modesto, Alameda, and in Fresno county. In 1906 he went to New York for post graduate work in medicine and then established a practice in Modesto which has increased to prosperous proportions. Last spring Captain Robertson studied with the Mayo Brothers in Minnesota.

**SELLS HERNDON RANCH**

HERNDON, Oct. 22.—George Houghough has sold his ranch to Mr. Goodwill of Fresno. Mr. Houghough and family will leave shortly for Wilmington, Orange county.

Sylvester McKee and family, late of Oakland, have now become residents of Herndon.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Brockman of Artesia are visiting Mrs. Brockman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Briggs.

John Briggs has just returned from a visit with friends in southern California.

The "flu" is visiting one or two families, and in consequence of this the school is closed.

The Red Cross ladies have postponed their entertainment which was billed for next Saturday, but will continue their regular meetings on Thursdays.

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The report for Sunday was fifty-seven new cases and for Monday forty-one cases. This shows a decrease of the illness. Dr. Cuneo states that the climax has been reached and that he expects a much better condition to be prevalent daily. All cases are having careful supervision and the observing of the request of the Board of Health has no doubt saved the city from a far more dreadful epidemic. The schools will be closed for at least a week.

**START DRIVE FOR PRESENTS**

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 22.—A drive for Christmas presents for the Belgian children is being arranged by L. E. Chenoweth, county superintendent of schools, to be conducted by the county schools. So date has been fixed but the drive is to continue a week and is to be called "self-denial" week. Exercises will be held appropriate to the occasion and each child will give at

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An Electric Vibrator Induces Circulation



### BEWARE OF THE SCOWL

**Y**OU can not get over the shock you had today when your demure little daughter turned on you defiantly and glared at you when you suggested she do a certain thing distasteful to her.

You met the situation by glaring back, didn't you—and perhaps threatened to whip her if she were not more obedient.

Ever since then you have been wondering where she got that wicked expression in her eyes.

As you thought about it your face took on the same look, and you have just realized that that is the way you often look at her when she disobeys you.

You have nagged her for days trying to correct a trivial but disagreeable failing...

You never thought of how you have looked to her as you fussed and fumed and raved and ranted at each recurrence of her disobedience.

Have you ever controlled yourself when you talked to the child on the subject...

Never let your face take on an expression that you would be ashamed to see reflected in your daughter.

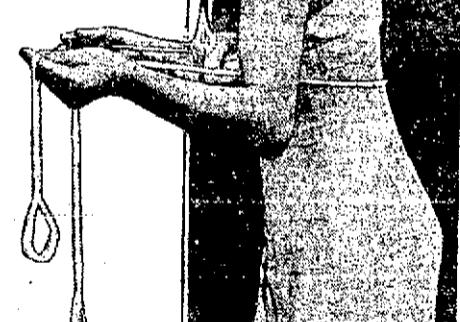
Children are imitators. Control yourself.



If Indigestion is the Cause, Drink Hot Water Every Morning

Keep the Feet Warm Even at Night

Avoid Tight Lacing When Adjusting Corset



### ETIQUETTE OF CALLING

BY EDNA EGAN

**M**INIATURE towels for the guest are being made even more fascinating by attaching a two-inch hem of striped galatea to each end. When pink and white striped galatea is used, the little floral spray on the towel is embroidered in white and pink. Whatever color appears in the design, the same is repeated in the design.

**E**ARINESS is not necessarily illness. It is just the cry of the body for rest. You must not work on after reaching a point of fatigue. A few days' rest will set you right then, while if the body is made to toil and the mind to work it may take a much longer time to recover. Heed the signal of alarm. Nature knows.

**J**ONE was received in an invitation to a wedding in a distant place, and is unable to attend. Is it correct to send one's cards instead?" asked John.

"Yes, those who cannot attend a wedding should send their cards to the bride's parents or the person in whose name the invitation is issued, so that they will arrive on the day of the wedding," advised his father.

**D**ISCOVERING the obscure pain in baby's ear is not always a simple matter, even for the alert and observant specialist. True enough the little hands find their way at times to the neighborhood of the sensitive area, but this is by no means as common a signal of earache as one might expect. It is only when the baby's cries as well as the presence of fever, can not be laid to other portions of the infant's anatomy, that the ear falls under suspicion. Then the nurse or parent, by gently pressing in front, over and behind the baby's ear will discover a tender point by the increased intensity of the child's cries, or by some other overt act of pain.

In the case of a matron who has moved into a new neighborhood, it is proper that the residents and neighbors call on her to extend their welcome and the various courtesies current among neighbors. Some people are deplorably lax in this same particular. While they call on new arrivals eventually, the tardy.

### ODDS and ENDS

**W**HEN ironing embroidered linens the majority of persons press directly on the back of the linen. This is a great mistake, as the iron may catch a thread of the embroidery and cut the stitches. Always place a thin piece of muslin over the wrong side, as well as over the towel padding, so the iron does not come in contact with any of the threads.

**M**Y income would dwindle to a half if women kept their feet warm," said a famous physician. "And it may be added that a woman's chances of being a comfortable soul and a jolly person to have around would be improved by three halves if she would wear the right kind of shoes, care for them and her feet properly and try to have everybody else do the same.

**W**HEN your health is concerned, it is better to expend more money on having sewing done, even if this makes necessary taking a more active part in the housework. The woman who wishes to be healthy will choose housework whenever she can, in preference to sedentary, unhealthy sewing. At least she will make sure of some active exercise before settling down to hours of sewing.

**A** YOUNG bride in a small flat had a small kitchen and found entertaining difficult on account of lack of places to put the soiled dishes as they came out after each course. So the bride purchased a small cutting table and sawed the legs off to permit its going under the kitchen table with ease. She also bought a kitchen chair and sawed the back off, so that this could be slipped underneath both tables. Thus dishes could be placed on the cutting table and slid in under the kitchen table until needed, and the chair could be placed in and out as desired. This is much more satisfactory than the drop leaf tables that they now use, as the drop leaf tables are not as steady and a good many accidents have happened on them.

**Y**OU can cut crosswise strips so that they will measure the same width throughout, by seeing that the cut edge of the material is quite even and in the case of double width material open it to its full width and place it flat on a table without a cloth. Take the cut edge and lay it evenly along the right hand selvage with the family doctor. In this way much subsequent disturbance of the material may be prevented.

diness with which their courtesy is extended deprives it of half its spontaneity and good will. The woman who recognizes the virtue which lies in "doing it now" in the social sense, is the one who may feel the complete satisfaction of having done herself justice in the payment of her social obligations. A call that is well-timed and appropriate in its nature is always appreciated by the recipient, and regarded as an act of spontaneous good-will and friendship. One that is made long after the expiration of the customary number of days is open to the suspicion of having been made a matter of social necessity.

The matter of leaving cards is one of the purely technical points of calling etiquette, and one which varies widely in different communities and under different circumstances. For the first year after her marriage, a bride may use cards engraved "Mr. and Mrs. S.—" for during that time she is still supposed to be paying off obligations incurred in both their names. A matron leaves two of her husband's cards and one of her own with her hostess, unless there is an unmarried daughter in the house who bears part of the burden of entertaining, when she substitutes two of her own and one of her husband's. During the first year following her bereavement, a woman in mourning does not use any cards at all, as she may receive but not return calls. After the expiration of the year, cards with a black border of any desired width are used during the conventional period of mourning, usually an additional year.

A young girl, even though she may still be in school, must have her cards engraved with "Miss" followed by her name. On the other hand, a young unmarried man, unless he has some professional title, has simply his full name engraved on his calling cards.

**Y**OU can preserve apples for twelve months if you are sure that they are hard and sound and wipe them well with a dry cloth. Pack them tightly in a dry, dark, cool, strong box between thick layers of bran to prevent them from touching. Keep in a cool place and wrap in a linen bag during the winter to prevent freezing.

**F**ROM the number of red noses one encounters on a cold winter's day I am drawn to the conclusion that this is more than an exceptional calamity, especially in winter time.

The nose is one of the most responsive signals which the body has to register ill health. If your nose reddens with the cold you can be absolutely sure that there is trouble somewhere. It may not be serious; maybe, but not so often, it may be in the nose itself, sensitive tissues which cold affects very quickly. Cartilaginous troubles will often result in a red nose, also that slight stuffy cold condition with which so many people are affected in winter time. A severe cold in the head means a red nose often because it has to be blown so much and becomes sensitive thereafter.

There are, however, two big causes for the winter or any other season's red nose, and they are poor circulation or stomach trouble—indigestion, constipation, biliousness, etc.—and the only cure for a red nose in any of these cases is to remove the cause. Local treatments can be only temporary in their effects, but often do relieve the trouble for a short time. If irritation inside the nose seems to be the trouble, try a douche of boracic acid or mop the nose with the following formula:

Lotion for red nose: Powdered calamine, 1 drachm; zinc oxide, 3 grains; glycerin, 1/2 drachm; cherry laurel water, 4 ounces. This lotion should be well shaken before it is applied on the nose. It may be used both morning and evening.

Never try to cover up a red nose with powder; you will only succeed in irritating it more. If powder must be used to make it less unsightly for special occasions, remove the powder as soon as possible with a cream or very hot water.

Where poor circulation seems to be the trouble, an electric vibrator will be found a great help. One of these instruments is a very valuable addition to any household for massage purposes.

### CARPENTRY

**S**O far there are not many women carpenters in America, but there are some. With the new conditions we are facing, there are likely to be more.

In England hundreds and hundreds of young women have volunteered to do carpenter work at the front. They are employed in putting up army huts. These huts are set up out of machine-made parts, but there has to be a thorough knowledge of carpentering used in putting them up. The girls who do the work get six weeks of instruction in England under a boss carpenter. Once at the front, each girl devotes herself to a particular part of the work, whether it be planing, joining, making cleats, hammering together the parts. The work goes thus from one to the other with the least loss of time and efficiency.

It is possible that we women in America will have our own call to turn to carpentering. War work does not only mean nursing these days. It means help in a hundred different directions. If you would rather be a carpenter than a stenographer you will probably get the chance.

Lamb will not keep long after it is killed. It can be discovered by the neck end in the forequarter if it has been killed too long, the veins in the neck being bluish when the meat is fresh, but green when it is stale. In the hind-quarter, the same discovery may be made by examining the kidney and the knuckle. For the former has a slight smell, and the knuckle is not firm when the meat has been killed too long.

Pork should have a thin rind; and when it is fresh the meat is smooth and cool; but when it looks flabby, and is clammy to the touch, it is not good; and pork, above all meat, is disagreeable when it is stale. If you perceive many enlarged glands, or, as they are usually termed, kernels, in the fat of the pork, you may conclude that the pork can not be wholesome.

Veal is generally preferred of a delicate whiteness, but it is more juicy and well-flavored when of a deeper color. Butchers bleed calves profusely in order to produce this white meat; but this practice must certainly deprive the meat of some of its nourishment and flavor. When you choose veal, endeavor to look at the loin, which affords the best means of judging of the veal generally, for if the kidney, which may be found on the under side of one end of the loin, is deeply enveloped in white and firm-looking fat, the meat will certainly be good; and the same appearance will enable you to judge if it has been recently killed. The kidney is the part which changes first, and then the suet around it becomes soft and the meat flabby and spoilt.

Bacon, like pork, should have a thin rind; the fat should be firm, and inclined to a reddish color; and the lean should firmly adhere to the bone, and have no yellow streaks in it. When you are purchasing a ham, have a knife stuck into it to the bone, which, if the ham be well cured, may be drawn out without having any of the meat adhering to it, and without your perceiving any disagreeable smell. A short ham is considered the best.

With regard to venison, which, as it is not an everyday article of diet, it may be convenient to keep for some time after it has begun to get high or tainted, it is useful to know that animal putrefaction is checked by fresh burnt charcoal; by means of which, therefore, the venison may be prevented from getting worse, although it can not be restored to its original freshness. The meat should be placed in a hollow dish, and the charcoal powder scattered over it until it covers the joint to a thickness of half an inch.

Hares and rabbits, when the ears are dry and tough, the haunch thick, and the claws blunt and rugged, are old. Smooth and sharp claws, ears that readily tear, and a narrow cleft in the lip, are the marks of a young hare. Hares may be kept for some time after they have been killed; indeed many people think they are not fit for the table until the inside begins to turn a little. Care, however, should be taken to prevent the inside from becoming musty, which would spoil the flavor of the stuff.

Partridges have yellow legs and a dark-colored bill when young.

Use a small rubber cup attachment for the nose, and with medium current move it slowly from the bridge of the nose to the nostril on each side.

Poor circulation in any other part of the body will often affect the nose. People with cold feet invariably have red noses. Wear large enough shoes and stockings which absorb perspiration, and keep the feet always as warm as possible. Hot water bags at night will relieve cold feet on going to bed. Cold baths in the morning on arising—if you can stand them—will improve the circulation wonderfully. A cold bath for the feet, followed by a rub with a rough towel will warm them up quicker than anything else. Avoid tight facings if you would have your circulation normal. Some women say, "I don't like my corset tight, but it seems to tighten up after I have had it on a while." To prevent this, try stooping over just before you lie down after you have pulled them up ready to fasten. This stoop will loosen the corset just enough to give it the expansion necessary during an active day. Avoid all tight gloves if you would keep the nose from glowing. A very small hat sometimes tends to irritate the nose, or a hat which sets too tightly on the head will prevent the proper circulation and show this condition in a reddened nose.

And now for the most general cause of this disturbing trouble—indigestion and its attendant stomach ills. Rich, greasy foods, which result in poor complexes for some people, will go to the nose in others. Look to your diet. Exercise in the open. Keep the bowels regular. A cup of hot water in the morning is a cheap medicine, but a most effective dose. Plenty of water-drinking between meals will also tend to keep the intestinal tract clear. Rough food, plenty of it, and a regularity of habit will do much to "break" up the constitution habit, for habit is most certainly in many cases.

In treating the red nose it must be remembered that anything worth while is worth working for, and that it takes perseverance to accomplish anything even to prevent the nose from reddening the minute Jack Frost gets busy. No, the winter red nose is not a necessity; on the other hand, it is an indication of some trouble which the sooner cured the better one's whole outlook on life will be.

**G**RATE fresh carrots and apply to inflamed eyes. Fasten with a bandage. When dry renew. Always bathe the eyes in the morning and continue the process. Bodily inflamed eyes have been cured in two days.

**F**OR membranous croup take equal parts of loaf sugar and alum, pulverize, mix together. Give an infant what you can take up on the point of a needle; dry on the tongue once an hour. Usually the second or third dose will conquer the disease.

**F**OLLOWING each meal there should be another thorough airing of the dining room and kitchen. No matter how perfect the system of ventilation, it is impossible to prevent cooking odors. This airing is doubly necessary should there be smokers in the family.

### Sweater Without Fastenings



**N**o, it hasn't buttons, or snappers, or hooks, or frogs, or anything. So it develops upon a generous satin to keep this sweater in its place. Aside from that, though, it's a very charming bit of a garment, being of fluffy yellow and brown wool. The brown makes the cuffs, pocket trimming and the collar. The collar is really the most striking thing about this sweater. Note its modish roll all the way from the shoulder to the hem. In back it is quite round and flat, much on the order of a Peter Pan.





# GAUZE MASKS ORDERED WORN BY ALL WHO SERVE THE PUBLIC

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The increasingly rapid spread of Spanish influenza in Fresno, the growing number of cases developing into pneumonia and the fear of an increasing mortality resulted last night in the adoption of drastic measures to hold the epidemic in check.

New cases yesterday totaled 271 as against 215 on Monday.

Eight serious cases of pneumonia were reported and three deaths.

The total number of cases in Fresno exceeds 700. Eleven have died in the city since the epidemic was recognized here.

Immediately following the compilation of the day's report Dr. C. Mathewson, city health officer, and Mayor W. F. Toomey held a conference at which it was decided to take immediate steps to get control of the situation. Mayor Toomey said that unless stringent measures were taken at once we would have 5,000 cases in Fresno before the end of another week.

As a first step toward checking the epidemic, every man, woman and child

who "waits on the public" or who is engaged in any place where many are employed or comes in daily contact with the public or town was ordered to don a gauze influenza mask today and continue wearing it until further notice.

Because it will be impossible for the Red Cross or any other agency to supply a sufficient number of masks to meet the needs of the entire community this morning, every person was instructed to make his or her own mask or have it made. The masks must cover both mouth and nose and must be made of from 4 to 8 thicknesses of sterile gauze or cheese cloth. By boiling the mask each night and thus re-sterilizing it, it may be used day after day, but unless boiled it is useless.

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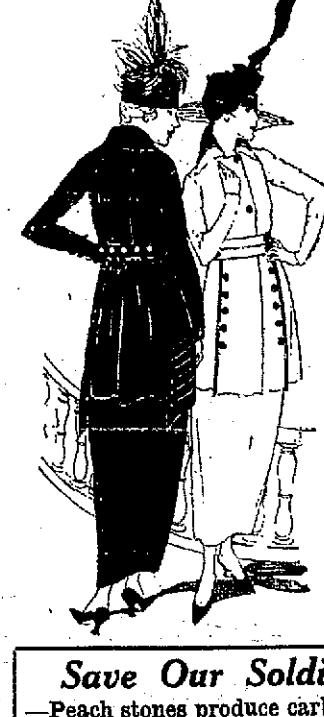
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